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THIRTY-SEVENTH YEAR, NO. BISMARCK, NORTH DAKOTA, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1917 FIVE CENTS

1200 DEAD IN EXPLOSION

BERLIN CLAIMS ELEVEN THOUSAND ITALIANS CAPTURED

WIFE OF SLAYER TAKES STAND IN DEFENSE OF HIM

Mrs. Henry Pankow is Relating in Burleigh County Court Story of Anamoose Tragedy

ASSERTS BORCHERT USED SOME AWFUL BAD WORDS

Tells of Cursing which Visitor Gave Husband for Driving Him from the Country

"You damned, crooked-legged —— of a ——, you and your women folks were the cause of my leaving this country," were the first words Charles Borchert addressed to Henry Pankow when the latter's wife had let Borchert into their home near Anamoose the night of May 29, testified Mrs. Pankow, who this morning took the stand in the Burleigh county district court in defense of her husband, charged with the murder of Mrs. Borchert's former admirer.

The state rested its case this morning after completing the examination of William B. Miller and of two Borcherts, brothers of the deceased. Mrs. Pankow was the first witness put on by the defense. Her examination will continue this afternoon.

Testifying with a pretty petulance which is rather effective, Mrs. Pankow told the court that Charley said some awfully bad words to her husband. His favorite epithet when "mad," she said, was that quartet of words of one syllable which never has failed to provoke a fight when addressed to an American.

She told how she was aroused in the night by Borchert's rap at the window, and how she insisted that she go to the kitchen door and let him in, fearing he would "do something" to her husband.

Borchert objected to the lamp "for fear somebody would see him back here."

"You didn't expect to see me back so soon, did you?" he said to Pankow, when the latter came out.

Pankow did not expect to see Borchert back because 18 neighbors had come to the Pankow home with a signed notice warning Borchert away and advising him not to return.

Borchert blamed Pankow for this notice, said the witness this morning

The defendant in the case has a twisted leg. It was to this deformity that Mrs. Pankow claims Borchert referred, when he shouted bad words at Henry, just before the shooting that night of May 29.

A dramatic incident of the trial of Henry Pankow, charged with the murder of Charles Borchert, 14 miles southwest of Anamoose on May 29 was the demand of E. R. Sinkler, attorney for the defense, late Wednesday afternoon that the state call to the stand the only eye-witness of the tragedy, Mrs. Henry Pankow. Assistant Attorney General Brennan, handling the prosecution, demurred, denying the necessity of calling an eye witness, and citing the many reasons given in law for not calling to the stand the wife of a principal in a criminal action. The state then closed its case to reopen it after Attorney Sinkler, in the absence of the jury had convinced the court that the state had not established the corpus delicti.

Story of Crime.

Upon reopening the state called to the stand William B. Miller of Anamoose, a relative of Charles Borchert and the complaining witness in this action. Miller told of being called to the Pankow home about 11 o'clock the night of May 29, and of finding Charles Borchert stretched out on a couch there with three bullet-holes in him. He told of Mrs. Pankow's graphic description of the shooting. The family had retired when there came a tap on the window, and Borchert, who had been warned from the neighborhood in a signed notice from eighteen families of the community, revealed himself and asked admittance.

"I asked Henry to let me go to the door so that if Charlie was going to do anything he would do it to me and not to Henry," Miller testified Mrs Pankow told him the night of the tragedy.

"I went to the door and let Charlie into the kitchen. We had talked there but a minute when Henry came out and the men took seats at either side of a table. They had said only a few words when Henry started to shoot He shot so fast I thought he never would stop"

Mrs. Pankow added, according to Miller: "I don't know what the fool wanted to shoot him for," and "this never would have happened but for our kind neighbors"

Miller admitted that when he was informed Borchert had been shot he remarked: "Just what I expected," and that he had known of criticism of Borchert because of his alleged relations with Mrs Pankow Borchert made his home with the Pankow's for five years prior to his departure from the community, at the request of his neighbors. He came back in the

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25 Aeroplanes Raid London; Seven Killed

CASUALTY LIST.

Seven persons were killed and 21 injured in the air raid, Chancellor Bonar Law announced today in the house of commons. Of the victims, three were killed and 10 injured in London.

London, Dec. 6.—About 25 aeroplanes raided England today, it is announced officially. Of these, six reached London.

Two of the raiders were brought down, the crew of three men on each machine being captured.

Bombs dropped by the raiders caused a number of fires in London, but all of them were quickly brought under control The casualties are believed to be light.

NORTHCLIFFE ON AMERICAN LADS OVER IN FRANCE

British Observer Pays Round of Visits to Trenches and Training Quarters.

MEN BEAR NOBLY WELL

CHANGE of climate of a peer CLIMATE

Air Thuds With Sound of Great Guns which for Three Days Have Been in Action.

Paris, Dec. 6.—Viscount Northcliffe has written the following impressions of his visit to the American forces in the field for the Associated Press:

"I saw today the spearhead of the great American army of the future. I had the honor of being invited by General Pershing to accompany General Bliss, Colonel and Mrs. House, Ambassador and Mrs. Sharp, Admiral Benson, Mr. Crosby of the treasury, Mr. Colby, Mr. Crawford and Mr. Adhincloss in the long round journey from Paris to the American headquarters and the front.

"Leaving Paris at 8 in the morning we returned at 10 o'clock at night which may give some idea of the distance on the American map in France. The journey in a nexcellently appointed special train brought us to a tiny railway station where the guard of honor was waiting to receive General Pershing, General Bliss and Colonel House and we passed through half a mile of grim, hardy young mericans in trench helmets standing at attention. They are in fine health and spirits.

Boys Bearing Well.

"Eastern France was under a frost, not the dazzling, keen atmosphere of New York, but a sunny, damp atmosphere to which Americans are unaccustomed; but which they are bearing well. The air was full of the budding of great guns in an artillery battle which, as a young West Point officer told me, had now been proceeding without cessation for three days and nights, some miles away to the east.

"Our immediate objective was a visit to the intensive training camp, or finishing school for the war at—(deleted). American planes were circling overhead, indicating our distination, which was also marked by the violent clangs of bursting hand grenades at the bombing school.

"Our procession of American automobiles went straight across the country, ignoring the roads, until we arrived at the crest of a low ravine, where some thousands of the first contingents of the American expeditionary forces are being trained. First we went to an exhibition of rifle practice with landscape targets. It was good shooting, the high average of seventy-five per cent of hits being reached

Quick in "Catching On."

"Afterwards came some very accurate work with a certain trench mortar well known to the Britis harmy. The men have mastered the principles of this very handy gun quickly. Later the spectators, men and women, were delighted at the proficiency of some of the bomb throwers and noted particularly that the throw is not the baseball pitch, but a complete overarm, semi circle, somewhat resembling overarm cricket bowling.

"We stood well out of the reach of the detonating bombs and the throwers bent low in the trench after the projection of the missile and until its force and detonation threw up earth and stones in every direction

"Then came an exhibition of trench fighting, bayonet practice and a very fine quarter-hour of work with the French seventy-fives—three inch—at a range of a mile and a half. The target was a small wood and after the first four shots the gunners got the range almost every time The spotting was done by an airplane which hovered overhead and indicated the hits by wireless.

House a Rifle Shot.

Colonel House manifested his Mexican origin by some excellent rifle

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MOTHERS OF SOLDIERS BROOD SOWS; SAMMIES FIT ONLY FOR FERTILIZER, SAID MRS. O'HARE

J. E. James, Well Known Bowman Farmer, Tells of Alleged Remarks Made by Socialist Lecturer at Cosy Theatre in Bowman Last June

JUDGE WADE TAKES RECESS TO LEARN WHAT CASE IS ABOUT; RECEPTION HELD

Presiding Jurist Objects to Injection of Political Discussion by Defense—Defendant Surrounded by Ray McKaig and League Admirers During the Interim

"Mothers who become pregnant for the purpose of bringing into the world sons to become cannon fodder are no better than the farmer's brood sow.

"I descended to the doors of death to bring a son into the world. I thank my God tonight he is not old enough to fight.

"Young men foolish enough to enlist or volunteer are only good enough for German fertilizer."

These, according to James E. James, substantial Bowman farmer, are statements made by Kate Richards O'Hare to an audience of 170 people in the Cozy theater at Bowman last June. Probably half of these people were foreigners, who had come to hear an American lecture.

"I never heard such a lecture before, and I have heard nothing like it since, and I don't care to.

"I have heard Arthur LeSeuer lecture at Bowman, but he never said anything like that, and it wasn't in such trying times as these."

Wade Wants to Know.

James was the first witness for the government. He told a calm, collected, straight forward story which withstood rigid cross-examination from Attorney V. R. Lovell, for the defense, failed to shake.

Lovell's repeated efforts to inject politics into the case brought several severe reprimands from Judge Wade of Iowa, who finally brought down his gavel with a bang and said:

"This court will take a brief recess. I wish to interview counsel and discover what this case is about."

Recruiting Was in Progress.

At the time Mrs. O'Hare delivered her lecture in Bowman large posters were on display in the United States postoffice, a few doors distant, calling upon young men to enlist in the United States army and navy; the rules for the first draft had been promulgated, and America's participation in the war was foremost in everyone's minds, testified Mr. James.

Lovell, on cross-examination asked the witness whether he had been active in politics during the last five years. U. S. District Attorney Hildreth objected to the question as immaterial and irrelevant and the objection promptly was sustained. Lovell then asked whether the witness had been active in politics for the last year. Hildreth again objected. Judge Wade permitted the witness to answer, although the court declared he could not see the relevancy of the question. Mr. James replied, emphatically, "I have not."

Mr. James insisted on cross-examination that there is no more partisan politics and factionalism in Bowman than is common in towns of its size. He had lived there nine years and regarded the community as normal, so far as political strife goes.

"Isn't it true that one side there has had the other arrested for libel and so forth?" asked Lovell.

And at this juncture Judge Wade halted the cross-examination and declared a recess in order that he might ascertain from counsel "just what this case is about."

McKaig Cheery Greeter.

When the judge left the bench Ray L. McKaig, who has resigned the state mastership of the North Dakota grange to become organizer for Townley's Nonpartisan league, rushed up to Mrs. O'Hare He was accompanied by a couple of league members, and Mrs. O'Hare chatted with them until court reconvened.

Mr. James appears to be a splendid type of North Dakota farmer. He has never, he testified, held public office, nor been active in politics. His testimony would tend to indicate that he has been simply a loyal, patriotic American citizen, voting for the men whom he believed best would serve his country, tending to his own business and making a success of that business.

Court Room Crowded.

The federal court room was crowded this morning, many of the spectators being farmers. Judge Wade's course in checking efforts of the defense to inject politics into the case clearly met their approval. The same attempt was made by Townley organs in Fargo while the grand jury was in session last July.

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Uncle Sam Will Feed Our Boys in Germany

AMERICAN RED CROSS TO DISTRIBUTE FOOD AND CLOTHING TO SAMMIES IN PRISON CAMPS

Special Dispatch from
MILTON BRONNER,
of Our Washington Bureau.

The state department, through the medium of Spain, is at present negotiating with Germany for arrangements whereby prisoners taken by either side will be fairly treated. One of the main things is an arrangement whereby Germany will guarantee that any food or clothing sent to our soldiers and sailors in German prison camps will go to those for whom it is intended.

The agreement will provide against diversion or substitution of food sent In other words, food sent to John Smith, U. S. A, is not to be diverted to Fritz Schneiderhannes of the German army. Nor is Germany to take this food and substitute an equivalent of something else in its place.

The other allied countries have such arrangements with Germany.

The plan adopted by other countries is to have a blank receipt form attached to each package. This is signed by the recipient and mailed back to the country from which it came.

All distribution for relief of our men will be under the supervision of the American Red Cross, which has already appropriated $31,212 to buy 75 tons of food for American prisoners in Germany This food is all to be sent to the American Red Cross warehouse in Berne, Switzerland, which is to be the great supply depot for the victualling and clothing of our imprisoned men. At present the number of American prisoners in Germany consists of about 100 seamen and less than 20 soldiers. Twenty-five tons of food for their relief have already been sent to Berne

Men captured by the central powers are not given what we consider sufficient food and clothing to keep them in good health This is, of course, largely due to the fact that the Germans have not enough food and clothing even for their own people In view of this condition the American Red Cross and our government are jointly preparing to feed all of our men.

A complete scheme for sustaining prisoners is now being worked out by the war and navy departments and the Red Cross. Under the tentative plan each prisoner is to receive every two weeks three 10-pound packages of food

Up to now the food has been supplied by the Red Cross, but when the whole scheme is perfected the government itself will supply the food and the Red Cross will distribute it. The navy department has already shipped 100 outfits of clothing for the interned American seamen in Germany.

NEW OFFENSIVE OF MACKENSEN GAINS GROUND

Mountainous Front is Scene of Latest Drive of Central Powers

GERMAN WAR STATEMENT IS ONLY INFORMATION

Sixty Guns Were Taken According to Official Teutonic Version

Berlin, Dec 6—Eleven thousand Italians have been captured by the Austro-Germans in their new offensive on the mountains front of northern Italy, it is officially announced today by the German war office.

Strong Italian positions in the Meletta region, in the northern front are taken and held by the Teutonic forces, who captpred more than sixty guns, the statement adds.

ADVANCE SLIGHTLY.

London, Dec. 6.—The British have advanced slightly their line southwest of La Vacquerie on the Cambrai front, it is announced officially.

On Tuesday night the official statement says, the British troops withdrew to the southwest of Noyelles-sur-L'Escaut and Bourlon wood. The withdrawal, it is added, was accomplished without the Germans appearing to be aware of it until late yesterday.

COMMITTEE UNITED ON WAR ISSUE

Washington, Dec. 6.—There were no dissenting votes in the committee, and at the request of Chairman Flood the house gave its unanimous consent to take up the resolution tomorrow at the beginning of the session and pass it before tomorow night.

The house foreign affairs committee's report on the war resolution, declares that the United States probably soon will send troops to Italy.

HALL PLEADS NOT GUILTY; TRIAL TO FOLLOW PANKOW'S

Thomas Hall, formally arraigned this morning in district court on a charge of embezzling approximately $3,400 of the state's automobile registration funds, pleaded not guilty, and his case was set for trial immediately following the conclusion of the Pankow murder case, which will occupy the remainder of the afternoon and probably a large part of tomorrow.

SERVICE NORMAL IN ST. PAUL

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 6.—Street cars were running practically on schedule today and no disturbances were reported last night, according to the street car and police officials, following yesterday's meeting of more than 10,000 union men at the Auditorium here.

The union men have announced that no action will be taken by them until next Tuesday. If the difficulties are not settled by that time, further action will be taken. Governor Burnquist is expected to announce late today whether federal mediators will be called upon to settle the dispute between the street car company and the striking trainmen.

A piece of iron pipe closed at each end, found on a street car yesterday, which the police say may be a bomb, will be examined by bomb experts today.

ESCAPED FROM TEUTONS EXPLAINS HIS GRIN

LIEUT PATRICK O'BRIEN

Above, the American grin of Lieutenant Patrick O'Brien of Momence, Ill. And no wonder he's grinning. He escaped from a German prison camp and reached London in safety. He was a member of the British flying corps on the western front when captured.

TIME SOUGHT BY RUSSIANS TO CONSIDER

German Delegates to Armistice Council Refuse First Two Russian Overtures.

GERMAN PROPOSALS ARE REFERRED TO EXPERTS

Envoys Part Without Conclusion with Next Meeting on Russian Soil in 7 Days.

London, Dec. 6.—A Russian communication dealing with the armistice negotiations, received here by wireless says:

"The enemy delegates replied evasively to the two initial Russian proposals, but promised to consult their governments concerning them. The Russians proposed as the principal points of an armistice that the enemy should not undertake to send forces from the Russian front to the fronts of Russia's allies; also that the German detachments be withdrawn from the Islands of Moon Sound. The enemy delegates refused these proposals.

"The enemy delegates submitted a project for an armistice from the Baltic to the Black Sea, which, in view of their evasive replies to the Russian proposals, the Russian delegates submitted to the Russian military experts.

A fortnight was first proposed for the duration of th earmistice. Ultimately 28 days were agreed upon which may be automatically prolonged. The Russians requested that the next meeting be on Russian territory after a lapse of seven days.

PLEADS FOR RECOGNITION.

Petrograd, Sunday, Dec. 6.—The duma has issued a proclamation to all nations, pleading for support as the only elective body in Russia.

The Letts have issued a petiton to the allies against the annexation of Courland and asking protection from Germanism.

SEEKS SEPARATE PEACE

London, Dec. 6.—Quoting an Austrian official statement concerning a Rumanian proposal for the negotiation of an armistice, a British official announcement today says:

"There is no truth whatever in this shameful statement."

RUMANIA STANDS FIRM.

A Pacific Port, Dec. 6—A message from King Ferdinand of Rumania declaring his country would never make a separate peace is being carried to President Wilson by members of the American Red Cross mission to Rumania, which landed at a Pacific port yesterday, according to a statement here tonight by Lieut Frank Conner, interpreter for the mission

CLARK FINED $2500 AND CROCKARD $1000 ON PLEA OF GUILTY IN U S. COURT

A case which had dragged through federal courts several years came to an abrupt conclusion at noon today when Sam Clark and Clarence H. Crockard, publishers of Jim Jam Jems, pleaded guilty before Judge Wade in United States district court to misuse of interstate transportation privileges in sending by express from one state to another copies of Jim Jam Jems containing objectional matter

Mr Clark was fined $2,500 and Mr Crockard $1,000, and the actions were dismissed Messrs Clark and Crockard were indicted by a federal grand jury at Fargo last July.

HALIFAX AFIRE FROM EXPLOSION; SHIPS COLLIDE

American Munition Ship and Another Craft Cause Death to Many in City

PROPERTY LOSSES TO RUN INTO MILLIONS

Freight Trains Blown Off Tracks Along a Distance of Two Miles

DEAD MAY REACH 1200.

Montreal, Que., Dec. 6.—The dead in the Halifax explosion number 1200, Telegraph company's officials estimate, but they explain the information on which it is based is unofficial.

As a result of the explosion of the American munitions ship this morning, nearly one-half of the north end of the city of Halifax has been destroyed, a great fire is raging, the dead are lying thick in the streets, all the hospitals are filled to overflowing, and many injured are compelled to walk about untreated.

News that the disaster had reached these proportions was received here this afternoon, when communication with Halifax was established by the Canadian Telegraph Co.

Three hundred dead and many hundreds injured were the estimates this afternoon of the casualties resulting when a large ammunition ship rammed a passenger liner near their piers at Halifax today.

The advices further stated that the ship which collided with the munitions vessel was a Red Cross liner.

Halifax, Dec. 6.—Hundreds of persons were killed, and a thousand others injured and half of the city of Halifax is in ruins as the result of the explosion of a munitions ship in the harbor today.

It is estimated that the property loss will run into the millions. The north end of the city is in flames, hundreds of buildings were destroyed, and a portion of Halifax set on fire by an explosion which occurred after a collision of an American ammunition ship and another vessel at Rockingham, according to telephone messages received here this morning. The explosion was so terrific that it destroyed the installation in the telegraph and telephone offices for thirty miles around Halifax, while it was heard at Truro, sixty-one miles distant. A report from Truro, declares the loss of life is placed at fifty, while the list of injured is correspondingly large.

It is reported that the American munitions steamer was moving out from her pier, and was rammed broadside by another vessel. Instantly, there was a tremendous explosion, which destroyed the two ships and killed their crews.

Takes Roof Off Station

The concussion resulting caused the roof of the railway station at North street to collapse, while all the warehouses on the waterfront for a mile and a half were damaged. The premises affected in many places caught fire.

The force of the concussion was so great that freight cars were blown off railway tracks along a stretch of nearly two miles.

Messages asking for fire engines and fire fighting apparatus, doctors and nurses, hospital supplies, etc., were received from Halifax by a number of localities in Nova Scotia. Special trains were made up with everything required that could be procured.

Decide on Relief

At Truro, Windsor, and here, the city councils met this morning and decided to take immediate steps to render aid to the afflicted people of Halifax. It is understood that large quantities of food were destroyed and that citizens of Halifax may soon be in danger of starvink. It was decided that carloads of food must be dispatched.

The damage done to the Western Union and Canadian Pacific Telegraph Companies and the Nova Scotia, Telephone company is so complete that it is likely to be days before wire communication with points outside of Halifax can be restored.

Rockingham is located well within Halifax harbor, at the mouth of Bedford basin. It is at the northwest portion of the harbor and since the war has been used as an examining station for ocean steamers It was at this portion of the harbor that Ex-Ambassador Bernstorff and party were held and examined on their way from the United States to Germany.

The Queens hotel on Hollis street, near Sackville street, marks approximately the southern limit of the devastated area, it is reported.

The last word received by wire from Halifax regarding the explosion, said the military had taken charge of the Canadian Pacific Telegraph Co. and had ordered all telegraph operators out of the building. Only two opera-

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FRESH INFANTRY DIVISIONS COME TO CAMBRAI ARC

Germans Assemble Troops in Large Numbers for Second Attempt to Crush Byng.

SENTIMENT OF BRITAIN THOROUGHLY OPTIMISTIC

Lines May Yield at Points to Strengthen Positions But Terrain Will Be Held.

With the British Armies in France, Dec. 5—(By the Associated Press)—There is no [illegible]ication that General Van Der Mar[illegible] great offensive has been abando[illegible] the presence of further fresh [illegible] divisions in the Cambrai area si[illegible] at the enemy has not yet lost [illegible] inflicting a sharp defeat on t[illegible]. The British line is now very [illegible]ly held, and can withstand any sl[illegible]ammer pressure and the anxie[illegible]e natural effect of the first tw[illegible]s onslaught—has been followed [illegible] a feeling of cheerfulness and co[illegible]ce.

The number of Bri[illegible]tteries has been greatly increa[illegible]d their accurate counter-shelling of the enemy's strong artillery groups east of the Scheldt has effectively reduced their activity.

The British airmen in clear weather continue to dominate the German aircraft, and bomb marching infantry and towns which have become new raid heads.

REVIEW BY GENERAL MAURICE.

London, Dec. 5.—British troops, acting in conjunction with an efficient force of Russians, have carried out a successful operation in Mesopotamia, Major General F. B. Maurice, chief director of military operations at the war office, announced today.

Speaking of the German attacks on the British salient in the Cambria area, General Maurice said:

"The enemy has to a certain extent got us into an awkward position and some adjustment of our line may be necessary. We may have to make slight withdrawals on the north of the salient."

"There is little doubt," continued General Maurice, "that the latest German attacks in the Cambrai sector have been planned and superintended by General von Ludendorff. Von Ludendorff's plan was a thoroughly good one, as most of the German plans are. It was an attack on both flanks of our salient, followed by an attack in force on the center.

Attacks that Fail.

"His attacks on our north and center failed completely, but on his left the enemy succeeded in breaking through a part of our front. He attacked not only our new front but on a part of the line as it existed before, to the south. He succeeded in effecting a surprise and broke through to a depth of nearly 6,000 yards—clear through our gun positions. But we had ample reserves available and promptly drove him back two thirds of the distance covered.

"One cannot say the Germans have not made substaintial gains as a result of this effort. When you are in a narrow salient even a small inroad on one's flanks increases greatly the difficulty of holding the salient and supplying the men in it. The supply to the men on certain portions of our front has now become a matter of considerable difficulty.

"After alluding to the readjustment of the line that might be necessary to some extent in this area, General Maurice continued:

Take British Guns.

"For the first time in many a day the enemy captured some British guns, the last British guns he captured being fo[illegible] from a territorial battery behinc [illegible] French lines in the battle of Y[illegible] May, 1915, during the first ga[illegible] Since then we had not lost a [illegible] run on the eastern front, and [illegible]aptured 650 of the enemy's, of [illegible]510 were captured in 1917.

"The number of [illegible] we captured at Cambrai is 138. T[illegible]ermans claim 10 0of ours, and I [illegible]ot yet able to tell exactly ho wtr[illegible]his claim is, as complete returns f[illegible] the batteries are not yet in, but t[illegible]omptitude of the announcement a[illegible] round number used leads to su[illegible]. I believe the Germans have included in the count numbers of French mortars, etc., and that therefore, this number will be subject to a large discount on investigation. The same probably is true of the 6,000 prisoners which is claimed.

"In Mesopotamia we are continuing the policy of striking where-ever the enemy gives us opportunity. We have just carried out this policy in an operation of our right with the full cooperation of Russian forces. The success of the Russian arms here shows that some portions of the Russian army are still willing and ready to fight."

Checked in Italy.

General Maurice said that while there had been much talk in the press of the danger from further German attacks in Italy, he considered the enemy's advance into Italy had been definitely checked.

General Maurice's reference to operations in Mesopotamia contains the first report of fighting by Russians since negotiations for an armistice between Germany and Russia were begun. The Russian troops on the northern front have been inactive for weeks, but the army on the Caucasus front has been carrying forward the campaign against the Turks. The Russian forces in Persia, near the Mesopotamia border, have done little since the Russian revolution, however, and the lessening of their effort seriously interfered with the Russo-British plan of campaign after the capture of Bagdad when a junction of these forces had almost been effected.

BOYS OF 16 CALLED.

Amsterdam, Dec. 5.—Intimations that Germany is planning to force boys of 16 and 17 years into the army are contained in an appeal appearing in the Essen General Anzeiger that they immediately join the juvenile corps.

"This great struggle between the nations," says the newspaper, "will necessitate those who are now 16 and 17 being called up at no very remote date for army service."

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North Dakota Grange Stands Loyally by the President in Ringing Pledges of Support

Resolutions commending in ringing terms President Wilson for the sentiments expressed and policies espoused in his message to congress were adopted by the North Dakota state Grange in the second day of its annual convention at the Hotel McKenzie here. The best efforts of this big farmers' organization are pledged the president, and the loyalty of the farmers to Wilson's aims in this war is assured.

The state Grange also adopted resolutions approving the work of the Farmers' union and Equity league on buying and selling lines and pledging the cooperation of the Grange in this effort, and the Nonpartisan league was endorsed.

T. B. Williams of Des Lacs was named state master to succeed Ray L. McKaig of Fort Rice, resigned. Mr. Williams has been a member of the state executive committee for several years and is master of a large grange in Ward county.

A. Snyder of Cavalier county was elected steward, and G. N. Bowman of Ward, B. E. Evans of Mercer and G. Macdonald of Berthold were elected members of the executive committee. Other officers were reelected.

Day's War Story Told

While for the moment there are no infantry operations of great magnitude in progress on any of the numerous battle fronts, indications are not wanting that shortly the Cambrai sector in France and the northern line in the Italian theatre will again witness Titanic struggles with the Germans and Austro-Hungarians the aggressors.

Already the Germans in the Cambrai region have brought up fresh reinforcements, with the object of blotting out the salient driven into their line by General Byngö's intrepid dash—a small portion of which they have reconquered, but at a fearful price.

In Italy, along the Sette Comuni and the Aisiago plateau, enemy guns of all calibres have opened fire on the Italian positions, and several hill positions have been captured in small attacks.

Both before Cambrai and in the Italian region the allied armies are awaiting wits complacency the enemy's assaults.

While near Camhbrai it is conceded that the British will be forced by reason of the dangerous salient held by the enemy in their line, to somewhat straighten out their front, optimism is expressed that on the whole General Byng's forces will be able to give a good accounting for any attacksth e enemy may launch.

Likewise the menace of a dash by the Austro-Germans down through the hills and out upon the plains of Venetia has been provided for, so far as the reinforcement of the Italians by the British and French troops and the bringing up of fresh guns is concerned. If Field Marshal Von Hoetzendorf, commander of the enemy troops, should be able to breach the line and gain in his objective, it would be only after one of the most canguinary encounters of the war.

In Mesopotamia the British and Russian troops have carried out a successful operation against the Turks, but just where has not been stated. This has significance, inasmuch as it is the first report of the fighting of the Russians with the British in this region since they formed a junction after the British captured Bagdad.

Although a British official announcement characterizes as a "shameful statement" the reports from Berlin and Vienna that Rumania has proposed to enter into negotiations for an armistice with the Teutonic allies, both Berlin and Vienna reiterate that negotiations are in progress.

CURED HIS RUPTURE

I was badly ruptured while lifting a trunk several years ago. Doctors said my only hope of cure was an operation. Trusses did me no good. Finally I got hold of something that quickly and completely cured me. Years have passed and the rupture has never returned, although I am doing hard work as a carpenter. There was no operation, no lost time, no trouble. I have nothing to sell, but will give full information about how you may find a complete cure without optration. If you white to me. Eugene M. Pullen, Carpenter, 308 D. Marcellus Avenue, Manasquan, N. J. Better cut out this notice and show it to any others who are ruptured—you may save a life or at least stop the misery of rupture and the worry and danger of an operation.

GENERAL FRASER PLACED IN CHARGE OF N. D. DRAFT

Adjutant General Angus Frasier late Wednesday afternoon was advised that he has been commissioned captain in the United States army to serve without pay as the head of North Dakota's draft machinery. General Fraser retains his rank as edjutant and his position as such, and combines the duties of the two offices.

Everyone who is familiar with the exceptionally efficient work done by General Fraser in connection with the first draft is pleased to know that one so well qualified is to supervise the second draft in this state. The adjutant general has a thorough grasp upon all details of the work, and in making him absolute head of the draft in this state the war department takes a step which will meet commendation from everyone familiar with North Dakota conditions.

The rank of captain in the North Dakota draft carries the same honors and responsibilities as that of major in states having a population of more than 1,500,000.

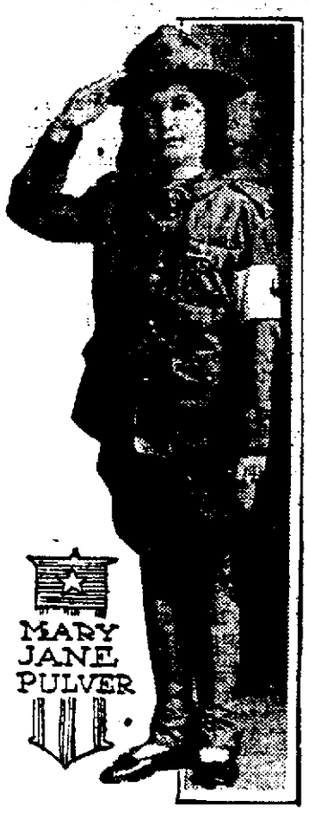
LAST RITES FOR DR. R. H. TREACY SUNDAY.

Last rites for the late Dr. H. R. Treacy, fatally stricken on the way from Minneapuolis to Chicago on Monday afternoon, will be held at the Masonic temple at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon under the auspices of Bismarck Lodge No. 5, A. F. and A. M. Interment will be made in St. Mary's cemetery.

The remains, which are on their way to this city, will lie in state at the Masonic temple from 10 a. m. until 2:30 Sunday afternoon. Rev. George Buzzelle, rector of St. George's, will be the offificiating clergyman.

For quick service call at Patterson's quick lunch.

YOUNGEST MAJOR IN U. S. IS 9 YEARS OLD



Woe to the rookie who fails to salute "Major" Jane Pulver, one of the "officers" at the Houston, Texas, camp.

The "major" won't do anything about it—but she has a lot of self-appointed "guards" who will.

Jane is the youngest "major" in the United States. She was nine her last birthday.

Officers who stayed at the hotel conducted by Jane's father while the camp was building, arranged for the uniform. It was a reward for her work in entertaining the soldiers. Jane wears the uniform constantly—even to Sunday school.

She also wears a sharpshooter's medal and a Red Cross arm band.

16 Big Boats Destroyed by German Subs

London, Dec. 6.—Sixteen British merchantmen of more than 1,600 tons were sunk by mines or submarines in the last week, according to the admiralty statement tonight. One vessel under 1,600 tons and four fishing vessels also were sunk.

The losses to British shipping by mines or submarines the previous week comprised fourteen merchantmen of 1,600 tons or over and seven of less than that tonnage.

The summary follows:

Arrivals, 2,174; sailings, 2,133.

British merchantmen over 1,600 tons sunk by mine or submarine 16; under 1,600 tons, one; fishing craft, four.

British vessels unsuccessfully attacked, including one previously, eight.

IN MEDITERRANEAN.

Rome, Dec. 6.—Losses of Italian shipping from submarine activity durin gthe week ended Dec. 2, were one steamer of more than 1,500 tons, one under that tonnage, and three small sailing vessels, it was officially announced today.

NORTHERN PACIFIC TRAIN SEVEN INVOLVED IN FIRE FROM DEFECTIVE WIRE

(Special to the Tribune)

Jamestown, N. D., Dec. 6.—A fire that destroyed the express and baggage car on Northern Pacific train No. 7 near Cleveland at noon today was caused by faulty electric wiring in the opinion of railroad officials who returned here tonight after investigating the origin of the blaze. Rumors that the fire was of incendiary origin, presumably the work of German plotters is not thought probable by officials. The fire was discovered in an express and baggage car shortly after No. 7 left Windsor at noon. The burning car was switched to a siding at Cleveland and was entirely destroyed. All that remains is wreckage.

A special train took the officials and extra crew to Cleveland from here, the train beng delayed only a few hours.

The total loss cannot be estimated as yet. Officials say the car alone was valued at approximately $30,000.

Further investigation will be made tomorrow.

ONE DAILY DELIVERY FOR RETAIL DEALERS

Washington, Dec. 6.—One regular delivery a day as a maximum for retail stores throughout the United S[illegible]s, and cooperative delivery systems in all the smaller cities and towns, are now the direct objectives of the delivery campaign of commercial economy board of the Council of National Defense.

This announcement was made today after a conference between the board and representatives of several of the state councils of defense. The state councils of defense have been cooperating in the campaign.

Let us place you on our regular Sunday service. Circulation Department 32.

CAR MEN HOPE FOR AID FROM WAR SECRETARY

"Continuous Convention" Plan Abandoned by Striking Carmen for Present.

SETTLEMENT MAY COME FROM MEDIATION

Men Return to Work Subject to Call—Minneapolis Spends Unsuccessful Day.

St. Paul, Minn., Dec. 6.—Hopeful of federal mediation in the dispute between the twin city car lines and some of their employees, representatives of more than 200 local unions late yesterday voted to adjourn their convention and thus do away, temporarily at least, with the possibility of what would be in effect a general sympathetic strike. After telegraphing Secretary of War Baker that federal mediation would be welcome, the convention leaders decided to await his reply before putting into effect the proposed "continuous convention," and the men were ordered to return to work tomorrow, subejct to call Dec. 11 should the differences not be settled to the carmen's satisfaction. In the meantime, no demonstrations of any kind and no strike vote will be taken, according to J. M. Clancy, president of the St. Paul Trades and Labor assembly and chairman of the meeting.

Dispatches from Washington indicated that the war department would consider action. Robert S. Coleman, who some weeks ago was named as federal conciliator in the dispute between the carmen and the company, wired the department of labor at Washington that the situation was serious here.

The dispatches say that Secretary Baker of the war department, to whom latest appeals for mediation were made by the unionists, was not in Washington. He was first brought into the controversy by Congressman Van Dyke of Minnesota, and C. W. Ames, a member of the state war board who asked that his department act.

It was said that the suggested "continuous convention" would result in a tie-up of war industries of various sorts here as well as the important shops of big transcontinental railroads ,and that the war department was directly interested in a settlement of the troubles.

Conflicting statements were made as to the extent of the tie-up caused by today's mass meeting and what would be the effect of the resumption of such a meeting. Labor men declared that 80 per cent of unionists in the city quit their jobs to attend the meeting. Employers said that no such number had quit.

The street car service was declared to be within 88 per cent of normal in the Twin Cities, though company officials admitted that 500 men had joined in the walkout due to their refusal to abide by the safety commission's order direc[illegible] disuse of union buttons.

MINNEAPO[illegible]ZED

Minneapolis, Mi[illegible] Dec. 6.—Hundreds of union men who left their work here today to attend the St. Paul labor convention assembled for the purpose of protesting against the actio nof the State Public Safety commission in ordering street car men to discard their union buttons, notified employers tonight that they would return to their duties tomorrow.

Coal deliveries were halted, building work brought to a standstill and milk distribution to homes virtually stopped during the day while members of the various unions attended the meeting.

Labor leaders announced that the men would return to work here subject to call in the event that a satisfactory settlement of the controversy is not effected.

Car service continued here tonight, and scores of deputy sheriffs patrolled the car barns districts and downtown sections.

Saloons remained closed.

EXPLOSION OF CHEMICALS KILLS EIGHT; INJURES 25

Pittsburgh, Penn., Dec. 6.—Eight men were killed, two are missing, and more than 25 were injured, many of them seriously, late today, by an explosion that wrecked the "T. N. T." plant of the Aetna Chemical Company at Heidelberg, a suburb. The explosion did much damage, estimated at $250,000 to the plant, and shattered windows in factories and homes for a radius of nearly two miles. All the dead and injured are employes of the company.

The cause of th eexplosion has not been determined. It occurred in the drying department in one of the eight 48,000 gallon tanks in which trinitrotoluol, a powerful explosive, was being boiled.

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Ever Peel a Banana Skin? That's It!

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tinkering with plasters and tape, trying to fix a corn so it wouldn't hurt. But now no one in the world "should worry," because the moment you put "Gets-It" on, it means the end of a corn. There is nothing in the world like "Gets-It"—nothing as sure and certain—nothing that you can count on to take off a corn or callus every time, and without danger. The corn never grew that "Gets-It" will not get. It never irritates the flesh, never makes your toe sore. Just two drops of "Gets-It" and presto the corn-pain vanishes. Shortly you can peel the corn right off with your finger and there you are—corn-free and happy with the toe as smooth and corn-free as your palm. Never happened before, did it? Guess not.

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LARSON'S PETITION PLACED ON FILE

John Larson's petition for city commissioner was filed today with Cecil Burton, city auditor. At present writing he is the only candidate in the field to be voted upon at the special election Dec. 27. The lists remain open until Friday eevning. It is not known whether opposition will develop at the eleventh hour.

There were 196 signers on Mr Larson's petition, or 81 more than the minimum number required by law.

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50 Degrees Of Cold on The Yukon

Dawson, Y. T., Dec. 6.—Dawson trermometers today dropped to 50 degrees below zero as a result of the first cold spell of the winter.

WIFE OF SLAYER TAKES STAND IN DEFENSE

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dead of night because he feared to let the neighbors know he had returned, said Miller.

Makes Dying Statesemnt.

Miller told of a statement which Borchert made to him in the Anamoose hospital eleven hours before his death. He stated he did not have a gun when he went to the Pankow home and that he intended no harm to anyone. A box of 22 cartridges removed from his pocket after he reached the hospital were explained by his statement that he had bought then in Montana while he and a companion were shooting gophers.

"I asked him what he wanted us to do if he should die," said Miller. "He said, 'I think you ought to make Henry tell what he did it for.'"

Borchert's description of the shooting, as related by Miller, was an effective stroke for the state: "Charlie said he was sitting there and Henry jumped up and shot. The first shot stunned Charlie and he pitched forward in his chair, stunned. Then another shot struck him and he fell to the floor. The third shot whizzzed past his head into the floor, and the fourth hit him in the back of the neck."

Old Feud.

Attorney Sinkler's cross-questioning, aimed to bring out facts as to a feud having existed for some time between Pankow and Borchert, and with regard to threats Borchert was alleged to have made against Pankow, and in connection with the alleged necessity for the interference at one time of a neighbor whoo "drove Borchert from the house with a gun," availed little. Nor could Miller recall Mrs. Pankow's having told him that Borchert showed her two shells at one time, stating, "One is for me and the other for him."

The Cause.

Mrs. Pankow, about whom this tragedy revolves, is a slight, modishly dressed blonde, of rather distinctive carriage and of a peculiar charm. She carried herself well in the court room, where she occupied one of the first benches, with her two beautiful little children besides her, while just beyond the rail in front of them sat the husband and father, who is a tall, good-looking man apparently in his mid-thirties.

The Pankow's and all of the witnesses who have been called to date impress one as a superior type of country people. The woman in the case, in particular, is a type more often found in a soubrette role on Broadway than in a tragic part on a North Dakota farm.

Miller, an exceptionally self-possessed witness, was still on the stand when adjournment was taken at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. It is expected the case will be completed today, and the next on call is that of the State versus Thomas Hall, secretary of state, charged with embezzlement. Hall will formally plead at 10 this morning. At the conclusion of the Hall case, Eugene Walla will be tried on the same charge.

CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS DEMAND GILL'S SCALP

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 6.—The committee of 25, representing 18 civic organizations today announced plans for a series of mass meetings on all sections of the city to ratify the demand for the impeachment of Mayor Hiram C. Gill because of his alleged laxity in suppressing vice.

It is planned to hold the meetings before the city council meets next Monday. Resolutions demanding the mayor's impeachment, ratified recently at a mass meeting of 5,000 citizens, are already before the council.

ABERDEEN GRAIN ELEVATOR BURNED

Property Loss of $50,000 and 17,000 Bushels of Wheat Went Up in Smoke.

Aberdeen, S. D., Dec. 6.—Fire starting in the furnace room of the Frazman Bain store early this morning spread to the elevator, causing a property damage of $5,000 and the loss of 17,000 bushels of grain in the elevator and several thousand bushels of valuable seed grain in the storerooms. The fire is not thought to have been incendiary. Insurance $22,000.

MOTHERS OF SOLDIERS BROOD SOWS

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Governor Lynn J. Frazier rushed into print with the following statement: "I am satisfied that the attack on the Tottens is entirely political. I know both Mrs. Totten and her husband, and they are highly estimable people, respected in their community and thoroughly loyal and patriotic."

This gubernatorial statement was made July 27 by Governor Frazier. The highly estimable people he referred to were Judge E. B. Totten and his wife, Lillian Totten, postmistress at Bowman. Mrs. Totten had been called before the grand jury for an investigation into her patriotism. According to Mrs. O'Hare's statement, Mrs. Totten called upon her at her hotel in Bowman, complimented her on the reforms she was advocating, and invited her to meet her (Mrs. Totten's) husband. Mrs. O'Hare accompanied Mrs. Totten to the Totten domicile, where "an enjoyable evening was had by all" discussing "reforms." It was because Judge Totten and Mrs. Totten opened their home to a woman who was charged with having referred to the mothers of American soldiers as "brood sows" and to the soldiers themselves as "fit only for fertilizer" that Senator Porter J. McCumber called upon the United States senate to deprive Mrs. Totten of the government post which she held, and it was in her defense, while the case was under investigation, that Governor Frazier gave his endorsement to the newspaper of which Townley is managing editor.

Judge Totten and Mrs. Totten long have been active in the Nonpartisan league. Governor Frazier proved his faith and confidence in and admiration for this "highly estimable family" when he named the Rev. George E. Totten a member of the state board of regents.

Ranchers Get Off Easy.

Because D. W. Enyart and Ralph E. Shafer, ranchers on the Fort Berthold reservation, represented that they could find no one to care for their stock should they be compelled to serve a prison sentence, Judge Wade on their pleading guilty this morning to introducing liquor into Indian territory, fined them the minimum of $100 apiece and gave them the lowest sentence the law allows—60 days, suspending 30 days of such sentence with the proviso that they appear before Judge Amidon at the end of that time to plead for an extension of the remaining 30 days.

The case of Charles F. (Kid) Winters of Mandan, charged with selling liquor to United States soldiers, was put over this morning for the term because material witnesses now are en route to France.

Sentence on John Grossman, who this morning pleaded guilty to introducing liquor on the Berthold reservation, was suspended because the defendant is a consumptive, to whom a jail sentence probably would mean death. Tom Spewak pleaded guilty to the same charge, and he will be sentenced later.

Judge E. T. Burke has been named attorney for Joseph Couture, who faces two charges of horse stealing on the Standing Rock reservation.

Impaneling of Jury

Because G. H. Opsahl, retired Grand Forks clothing merchant, stated on examination for the Kate Richards O'Hare jury in United States district court Wednesday afternoon he would object to having a man with his opinions on the jury that would try him were he charged with sedition, D. R. Covel, attorney for Mrs. O.Hare, challenged the juror for cause. After questioning the juror, Judge Wade threw out the challenge. Judge Wade also objected to long, hypothetical questions which Attorney Covel asked the juror, declaring an answer would tend to bind the juror before he had heard a word of evidence.

Talesman Have Opinions

None of the men examined during the afternoon professed for the socialist party any such distaste or opposition as would prevent them from giving a member of that party charged with sedition or any other crime a fair and just trial. Some of the jurors did acknoowledge the possession of very firm ideas as to what should be done with anyone who wilfully interferred with the recruiting system or sought to retard enlistment in the United States army.

Mrs. O'Hare, a tall slim woman of somewhere in the forties, sat at the side of her attorney making notes and offering suggestions during the examination of veniremen. She is dressed entirely in black, relieved with splashes of red at the collar and with a pink-trimmed "picture hat." There may be traced a rather distant resemblance between Mrs. O'Hare and Congresswoman Janet Rankin of Montana.

Jury Empanelled.

The impaneling of a jury was completed late Wednesday evening and the taking of testimony was commenced this morning. The number of witnesses is not large. Practically all for the state are from Bowman, where Mrs. O'Hare is alleged to have made the remarks with reference to the mothers of American soldiers which led to her indictment by a federal grand jury last July. U. S. attorney Hildreth and Judge Carmody are prosecuting.

On a Roller.

A list of telephone numbers that can be fastened to an instrument and which is manipulated like a shade on a spring roller has been patented.

WAIL PRESIDENTS SEEK TO PREVENT FEDERAL OWNERSHIP

Washington, Dec. 6.—Railroad presidents, composing the railroad war board, today informed Chairman Newlands of the congressional committee dealing with transportation problems that if congress enacted the legal prohibition which it is in contemplation the roads for the war emergency government operation, it could be unnecessary.

Chairman Newlands asked the railway executives for an estimate of the money needed by the roads to equip them for the emergency, and they promised to prepare it in time for presentation to President Wilson on Monday. The president himself, began considering the question today in conferences with Chairman Hall of the interstate commerce commission.

BISMARCK BOY X RAY EXPERT WITH ARMY IS ASSIGNED TO NEW POST

Lieut. Ted Martel, formerly x-ray operator at the Bismarck hospital and for a number of months past in charge of x-ray work with the medical division at Ft. Snelling, is here for a brief furlough before reporting for new duties in Texas.

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The quick, lasting relief you get from this excellent cough syrup will really surprise you. It promptly heals the inflamed membranes that line the throat and air passages, stops the annoying throat tickle, loosens the phlegm, and soon your cough stops entirely. Splendid for bronchitis, croup, whooping cough and bronchial asthma.

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HALIFAX AFIRE FROM EXPLOSION

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ders on the office escaped injury. Scores of persons on the docks were killed. The fire started in the northern end of the city which bore the brunt of the damage.

The whole northern section of Halifax is a mass of wreckage and fires have broken out in a dozen parts of the city according to reports received shortly after noon.

The area of destruction covers several miles. The Canadian government station owned by the C. P. R. railway, is described as having entirely collapsed, while a big government repair plant at Willow Park, in the northwestern section of the city, is wrecked.

MOST OF CITY IN FLAMES

St. Johns, N. B., Dec. 6.—A large part of Halifax is in flames following an explosion in the harbor today. Two vessels, one of them loaded with munitions of war, including high explosives collided.

Buildings along the water front were torn to pieces, and many persons are believed to have been killed.

Other shipping in the harbor suffered severely, and the crews of several vessels are said to have been killed.

Wire communication between this city and Halifax was interrupted soon after the explosion and before more than fragmentary reports had been received. The munition ship blown up was said to have been American.

Storm in Progress

At the moment of the explosion, a fierce storm was sweeping the harbor, and it is supposed that the collision of the vessels was due to this.

One of the buildings that suffered severely was occupied by the Western Union Telegraph company and was the terminus of the cable lines to the U. S. One report said that two telegraph operators were killed, and another that several employees lost their lives.

It is possible that the censorship at Halifax may prevent details of the disaster becoming known immediately when wire communication is restored. Meanwhile, frantic efforts are being made by the telegraph company here to restore their lines to some points in the vicinity of Halifax and within easy reach by carrier.

It is stated positively later here that there were several transports in the harbor when the explosion occurred. Nothing as to the fate of these was obtainable. Neither is it known whether the transports were filled with troops or occupied only by their crews.

STATION COLLAPSED.

Truro, Nova Scotia, Dec. 6.—Reports reaching here early this afternoon said it was feared several scores of people lost their lives when the railway station at Halifax collapsed. Twenty-five railway workers were killed on the track near Richmond.

CITY CUT OFF.

New York, Dec. 6.—Halifax has been cut off from all communication with the outside world, according to Western Union Cable company officials here. All lines are down, and all the plants of the U. S. Direct Cable Co. at Halifax have been so damaged by the explosion that it cannot be operated.

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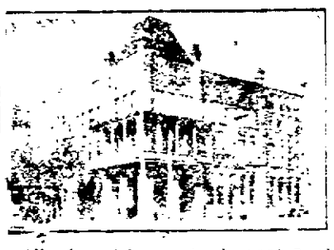

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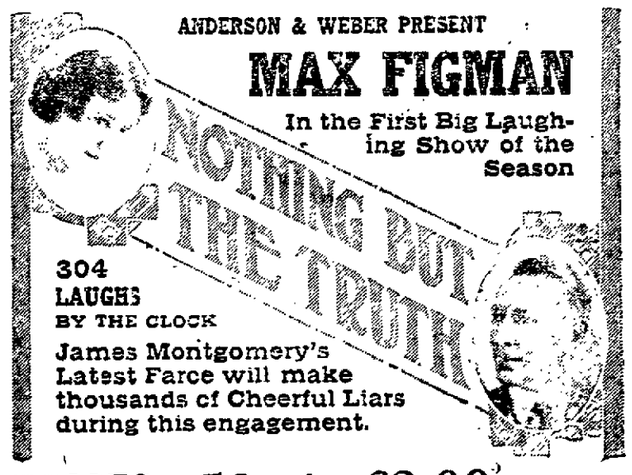

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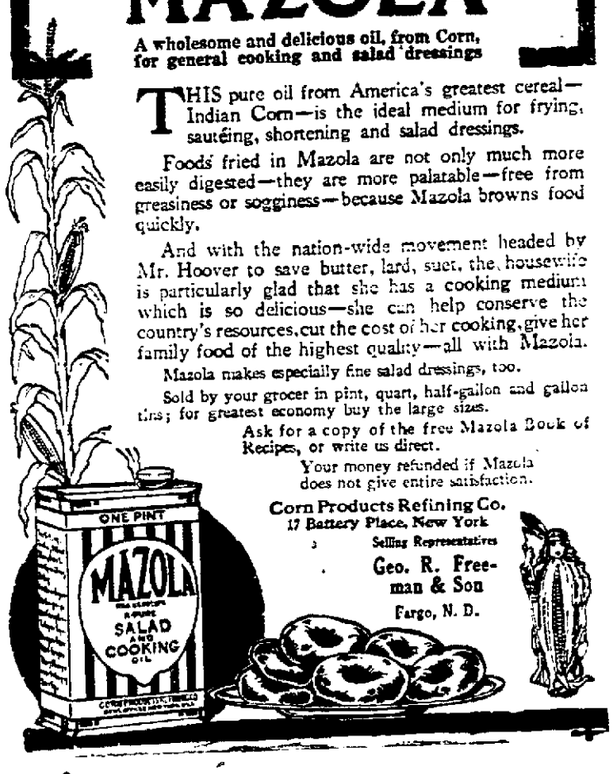

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WEATHER REPORT.

for 24 hours ending at noon Dec. 6	
Temperature at 7 a. m.	3
Temperature at noon	10
Highest yesterday	7
Lowest yesterday	2
Lowest last night	2
Precipitation	Trace
Highest wind velocity	8-SE

Forecast.

for North Dakota: Snow tonight and probably Friday; colder tonight in the north and west portions, with a cold wave; colder Friday.

	Lowest Temperatures
Fargo	—8
Williston	—2
Havre	..
St. Paul	0
Winnipeg	..
Helena	26
Chicago	..
Swift Current	—4
Kansas City	10
San Francisco	48

ORRIS W. POBERTS, Meteorologist

THE END IS NOT YET.

Military experts are of the opinion that Haig has been "stopped." At any rate he is still nearly 600 miles from Berlin.

The best that the allies now hope in Italy is a stalemate and on the eastern front and at Saloniki there is stalemate, or worse.

Her half century of preparation for a drive for world dominion was by no means confined to mobilization of men, money, munitions and transportation facilities. She prepared, also, for absorbing or at least neutralizing probable neutrals. In some of such countries she colonized her propagandists by the scores of thousands. In others she established such economic and trade conditions, aided by the geographical and topographical conditions, that she could compel neutrality, if not, indeed, actual war alliance.

During the long stalemate on the western front, Germany ruined Russia as an entente ally and so poisoned the Italian army that ruin knocked at Italy's door. If, at present, there really is a general stalemate, it will soon be seen what Germany will do to Switzerland, the Scandinavian neutrals and maybe Spain. Rest assured that her war preparation included work upon these nations. Stopped on the battle fronts, she can still do her secret, subtle fighting back of the lines. Prolonging a defensive war, she can play for war weariness, through seduction of the neutrals and with the kind assistance of such as Lansdowne and other pacifist politicians of international note.

FOR PEACE THAT WILL BE PEACE

Lansdowne fears that, if long continued, the war will destroy civilization.

Very well, let us fight it to a finish, as early as possible.

Lansdowne's, like all other peace propositions, is wrecked upon the following:

1. That any peace treaty with German autocracy would be worthless.

2. That peace which does not include annihilation of Prussian militarism means more armament by the nations and finally more war.

Throughout the world there is no sensible person but realizes that these things are the invulnerable truth. Peace talk merely befogs the issue permanent peace.

THE PENALTY IS CERTAIN.

Mrs. De Saulles has been acquitted and given the boy whom she loves so well. But she is greatly to be pitied. Married at 16, she must find herself, in almost the very dawn of motherhood, haunted by the ghost of the father of her child whom she slew. What matters it to a woman that she was mentally unbalanced? The very thought that they killed a human being would be enough for the vast majority of women. Very likely that boy will be "the very image of his father,"

... are, and then this young ... have before her ... the father whom she ...

... something in this life that ... as prison bars or ... It is the remorse ... always.

... story is not ... It is the old, old ... fascinated ... caring nothing for ... This girl pays ... tragedy. But they all pay ... in blood in tears.

Rah for Trotzky—somewhat! He says that he'll report his peace conference proceedings to all the world. We have a happy smile at least, for any government that sits on censorship that way.

Uncle Sam has turned out his first ship under war rush orders in 120 days. It is a 4,000 tonner and some days to the German idea that Uncle is a "negligible."

Brazil is to send her six best naval units to European waters. Welcome! the water's fine!

SELFRIDGE

Dick Harmon and Joe Breiner attended the Thanksgiving dance at Shields.

O. K. Evans left Wednesday for Mobridge for a visit with his daughters, the mesdames Al Forgy and Elmer Teeter.

B. L. Smestad and son Lloyd spent Saturday and Sunday at McLaughlin, where Lloyd had his tonsils removed by Dr. Leonett.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Langbein, Miss Jane Gayton and Frank Kanaly autoed to Shields in the latter's car last Wednesday evening to attend the Odd Fellows dance at that place.

John and James Swift of Washington, Iowa, who spent a few days here last week visiting at the home of their brother, Martin Swift, left Wednesday for their home. They state that Iowa has raised a good corn crop, averaging 70 bushels to the acre, with prices ranging from 50 cents to $2 a bushel. This looks like a large return from an acre but with land seling at $300 the farmers of North Dakota are making a much larger percentage of profit.

Mr. Adolph Redman, of Gaylord, Minn., is spending a few days this week at the home of his brother, Banker F. M. Redman.

A dance will be given at the school house Saturday evening, Dec. the eighth. Everyone is invited and the proceeds will be turned over to the ... Society.

... is spending a few days ... this week being called as a witness in federal court.

Messrs. Brokofsky and Shilling, two of Linton's popular business men, were here Monday looking over some of the land that is to be sold at the Indian land sale. If successful in getting some of this land they intend to put in a large acreage in flax next year.

Miller's moving picture show attracted a large crowd here Monday night. Everyone seemed pleased with the entertainment.

Surveyor John Farmer is surveying the Gafiom addition on the west side of the track, these lots will soon be offered for sale.

Albert Martin and family have moved into town for the winter. Mr. Martin will be employed on the section.

Mrs. W. C. Eigler arived here last week form Souris, N. D., to join her husband.

Miss Viola Marsh arived here last week from Walker, S. Dak., to attend school here this winter. She will stay at the home of her uncle, C. C. Marsh.

NORTHCLIFFE ON AMERICAN LADS

(Continued from Page One)

practice in the sniping school. Excellent wooden models of enemy snipers are half concealed among rocks and foliage at a distance of some hundred yards and it is the object of the pupils in this part of the war game to draw a sudden bead on an enemy and get it. Many of the Americans are already adepts at sniping.

"Our party then returned to the railway station, passed the grim guard of honor and after a new journey arrived at General Pershing's headquarters a fine French barracks lately occupied by one of the most distinguished o fthe French regiments, which had been refitted, steam-heated and electric wired and is in telephone touch with distant Paris and all the various parts of the American army.

"Interesting lectures were given by leading members of General Pershing's staff, showing that American adaptability has quickly assimilated the best points of the British and French training, arrived after three and a half years of actual warfare, to which have been added certain American ideas and certain alterations necessary for an army whose home base is thousands of miles on the other side of the Atlantic.

COL. INDSON ACTED WITHOUT AUTHORITY

Washington, Dec. 6.—It was officially declared today at the state department that both Lieutenant Colonel Nelson, head of the American military mission in Russia and Major M. C. Kerth, temporary military attache at the American Embassy, acted without instructions from this government in presenting communication to the Bolsheviki government on the attitude of the United States in the efforts to effect a separate peace and armistice with Germany.

Music and skating tonight at the Armory.

REAL WINTER SPORT

RAILWAY BOARD FOR CONTROL OR APPROPRIATION

National Traffic Commission in Favor of Action for Immediate Unification.

COMMISSIONER McCHORD RECOMMENDS OWNERSHIP

Trend of Majority Report Inclines Strongly Toward Full Government Control.

Washington, Dec. 6.—Immediate action to effect national unification of the railroads, either by government operation or by suspension for the war of antitrust and anti-pooling laws, a federal loan and regulation of security issues to permit more effective voluntary cooperation, was recommended today by the interstate commerce commission in a special report to congress.

Neither plan was specifically endorsed, but an implication that the majority believed the railroads might successfully work out their own unification prompted Commissioner McChord to submit a separate report emphatically urging government control, and saying, "The strong arm of government authority is essential, if the transportation system is to be radically improved." Any voluntary pooling plan would fail to meet war exigencies, he declared, because of the unavoidable influence of selfishness among roads.

There was no disagreement as to the propositions that competition among railroads must be diminished, if not altogether eliminated, to prevent a serious breakdown of transportation facilities under the war's strain.

Railroad Plan Inadequate.

The railroads' own proposed solution for the difficulties—an increase in rates in order to attract capital—was characterized as entirely inadequate by the commission. Even with more funds, the report said, the shortage of equipment could not be remedied materially because of the inability of industries to manufacture it. Doubt also was expressed whether sufficient capital would be attracted, in view of the flotation of such enormous quantities of government war securities.

These considerations led the commission to what it considered an inevitable conclusion, that a high state of efficiency could be maintained for the railroads only by thorough cooperation. Elimination of duplication of routes and other elements of expense and energy, and elimination of the economic waste which comes from competition. This would mean, it was pointed out, a complete reconstruction of the policies under which railroads have been developed.

Government Operation.

If the alternative of government operation under the direction of the president be adopted, the commission said suitable guaranty of an adequate annual return should be given, with provision by which the roads could reimburse the government for improvements after the properties are returned to private owners.

The only hint of the commission's attitude toward the railroads pending application for 15 per cent higher rates was given in an assertion that the roads are entitled to demand just and reasonable rates sufficient to yield fair returns, and the comment that although railway earnings in the last year have broke nall records, the purchasing power of the earnings is greatly decreased.

Steps taken by the railroad war board two weeks ago to pool cars and operate roads somewhat as a unit by loaning facilities of one to another were recognized by Commissioner McChord, in his supplementary report, as valuable; but he maintained they were only half way measures. He said the railroads now are taking orders from too many government agencies, the Interstate Commerce commission, the War Industries board, the priority and war and navy departments, the Shipping Board and the Fuel and Food adminstrations. As a result of the conflict of orders and priority he said, "railroad operation is approaching a chaotic condition."

Authority in Single Agency.

If President Wilson does not elect to take over and operate the railroads, Chairman McChord said, the next best plan would be to enact legislation to centralize federal authority over railroads in a single agency.

The commission's reuport, the first special report in years, came as a surprise to congress, but it met an immediate response in both the senate and house. Senator Newlands, chairman of the special congressional railroad investigating commission, and of the senate Interstate Commerce commission, arranged a conference with President Wilson for next Monday to receive executive recommendations. Decisive action by the government immediately is necessary, Senator Newlands said, to insure efficient operation of the railroads and provide sufficient capital.

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Proposed Declaration of War With Austria Joint Resolution of the Houses

Washington, Dec. 6.—Congress cleared the way today for prompt response to President Wilson's call for a declaration of war with Austria-Hungary. A joint resolution approved by the president and the state department declaring a state of war between the United States and the Austro-Hungarian government from today at noon, was introduced in the house and unanimously approved by the house foreign affairs committee. It will be reported tomorrow for beginning of house debate on Friday, with final action in the senate late this week or early next week probable.

Conforming to the president's recommendations, the resolution which authorizes and directs employment of the nation's armed forces against Austria and pledges the country's resources to victory, applies to Austria alone. Germany's other allies, Turkey and Bulgaria, are not mentioned.

As perfected by the house committee and ordered reported without a dissenting vote, the resolution reads:

The Resolution.

"Whereas, The Imperial and Royal Austria-Hungarian government has severad diplomatic relations with the government of the United States of America, and has committed acts of war against the government and the people of the United States of America, among which are its adherence to the policy of ruthless submarine warfare adopted by its ally, the Imperial German government, and which the United States of America is at war, and by giving to its ally active support and aid on both land and sea in the prosecution of war against the government and people of the United States of America; therefore, be it,

"Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in congress assembled, That a state of war be and is hereby declared to exist and to have existed since noon of the 5th day of December, 1917, between the United States of America and the Imperial and Royal Austro-Hungarian government; and that the president be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the Imperial and Royal Austro-Hungarian government, and to bring the conflict to a successful termination all the the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."

Immediate Action.

A copy was transmitted late today to the senate foreign relations committee, which will consider it informally tomorrow morning. The senate may on Friday begin consideration simultaneously with the house.

Although sentiment remains strong in both branches of congress to have the war declaration extended to Turkey and Bulgaria, approval of the resolution as it now stands is regarded as virtually certain. Reasons given confidentially today to chairmen Stone and Flood, and which probably will be made public in debate, were regarded as convincing.

American Prisoners Fight In Hand-to-Hand Encounter And Win Way Back to Line

With the American Army in France, Tuesday, Dec. 4.—(By the Associated Press.)—The best of many exciting episodes related in connection with the Cambrai fighting was that involving five American and Canadian engineers, together with some British fighting troops. These men were cut off in the German drive movement near Gouzeaucourt and were taken prisoners.

A German escort of twenty soldiers or more started with them along the road leading from Gouzeaucourt to Cambrai. As they were proceeding disconsolately toward the zone of the German prison cages they came upon a small body of British troops who had also been cut off from their comrades and were wandering about.

The British Tommies immediately charged toward them. The Germans tried to drive their captives off to the rear in a frenzy, but the prisoners hurled themselves on their guards and started hand-to-hand fights until the Tommies arrived and disposed of the Germans. The engineers and their comrades took the German rifles and worked their way back with their rescuers until they were able to reach a point where they could join the British line.

TRIBUNE FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT

FEDERAL TRANSPORTATION PLANS STIMULATE STOCK

Immediate Effect of Government Operation is to Give New Tone to Market.

INDUSTRIALS AND OTHER FEATURES FOLLOW RAILS

New York, Dec. 5.—Second only in impoortance to the president's stirring address to congress yesterday and even more potent as a market stimulant, was the report submitted to that body by the Interstate Commerce commission bearing vitally upon the future of the railroads of this country.

It is yet too early to forecast even to an approximate degree the effect of the commerce commission's recommendations, but the course of the stock market following the publication of the report left no doubt of its immediate significance.

Strong Rebound From Low.

Rails were little more than irregular during the first of the session, with a new low record for St. Paul preferred at 68. Early reports from Washington were rather conflicting, but the first intimation of the proposed suspension of the Sherman law resulted in a rebound in which prices were carried two to almost five points above lowest levels.

Industrials and the entire war list, as well as shippings, coppers and specialties, shared in the advance. United States Steel, for example, rallied from its low of 86¾ to 89⅞, with corresponding gains elsewhere. Decided strength ruled at the very active close, total sales aggregating 880,000 shares.

The news from Washington was especially timely by reason of additional unfavorable statements of railway earnings. Money rates were relatively easy but time funds were in smaller supply.

Bonds Strengthen.

Bonds were heavy for a time, but strengthened with the stock list. Liberty 4's ruled at 97.30 to 97.62 and the 3½'s at 98.50 to 98.72. Total sales (par value) amounted to $5,150,000. United States bonds (old issues) were unchanged on call, coupon 4's losing ⅛ on sales.

American Beet Sugar	73¼
American Can	34¼
American Smelting and Refining	74
American Tel. and Tel.	105½
American Zinc	12⅝
Anaconda Copper	56½
Atchison	84½
Baltimore and Ohio	49
Butte and Superior	16⅜
California Petroleum	12
Canadian Pacific	133
Central Leather	63
Chesapeake and Ohio	48¼
Chicago, Mil. and St. P.	38⅞
Chino Copper	41¼
Colorado Fuel and Iron	34
Crucible Steel	53½
Cuba Cane Sugar	27
Erie	16
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	25⅞
Great Northern Pfd	91
Inspiration Copper	42½
Int. Mer. Marine pfd. ctfs	93¼
Kennecott Copper	31½
Louisville and Nashville	115½
Mexican Petroleum	76¼
Miami Copper	28
Missouri Pacific	24¼
Montana Power	64½
New York Central	7¼
Northern Pacific	84½
Pennsylvania	45¼
Ray Consolidated Copper	22⅛
Reading	70⅞
Southern Pacific	82
Southern Railway	25¼
Texas Co.	137
Union Pacific	113¼
U. S. Industrial Alcohol	109
United States Steel	89⅞
Utah Copper	78

BERNSTORFF'S FRIEND GERMAN PROPAGANDIST

Wealthy German Resident of Boston Suburb Held Under Alien Enemy Act.

Boston, Mass., Dec. 6.—Clemens A. Haass, a wealthy German resident of Milton who is said by federal officials to be a close friend of Count Von Bernstorff, former German ambassador to the United States was arrested at his office here today charged with having violated the enemy alien act. Two baskets of correspondence were taken from his private safe.

TENDENCY OF CORN IN UPWARD TREND

No Increase in Receipts Despite the Present Abundant Supply of Cars.

FURTHER DISPLAY OF STRENGTH IN OATS

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 5.—Corn advanced in price today owing more or less to persistent smallness of receipts despite announcements of a better supply of railway cars. The market closed firm, ⅝ to 1c net higher, with Jan. 121⅜ and May 119½ to 119⅝. Oats gained 1⅛ to 1¾ and provisions 50c to $1.

Notwithstanding that a slight tendency to sag was noticeable at the outset in the corn market, prospects of new price fixing legislation appeared to have lost force as an element of depression. Unfulfillment of hopes that arrivals would materially increase and that rural offerings would broaden out led to a hardening of values, and there was a decided further display of bullish sentiment after a rise in the oats market to fresh high price records for the season. The scarcity of corn available for immediate delivery was emphasized by an advanc of 5 to 10c being quoted for new crop supplies.

Bulges in the price of oats resulted chiefly from the fact that stocks here were meager and receipts disappointing in values, although current reports told of improved freight facilities.

Buying attributed to packers hoisted provisions to the maximum of the day's limit. Offerings were scarce on the way up. Hog receipts compared unfavorably with last year's totals.

MINNEAPOLIS

No. 3 yellow corn	200	@205
No. 3 mixed	195	@200
ArriCorn, other grades	65	@190
No. 2 white Mont. oats	78¼	@79¾
S. W.	75¼	@76¾
Arrive	75¼	@76¾
No. 3 white oats	74¼	@76¼
No. 3 white oats to arr.	74¾	@76¼
No. 4 white oats	73¼	@75¾
Barley, choice	139	@145
Barley	117	@139
No. 2 Rye	181	@182
Rye to arr	181	@182
Flax	324½	@327½
Flax to arr	323½	@325½
Oats, Dec., old	72½	
Dec., new	73¾	
May, new	71⅛	

Close, 1:45 p. m.

DULUTH

Oats, on trk	72½@74½
Oats, to arr	72½
Rye on trk and to arr.	178
December rye	176
May rye	183
Barley on trk	110 @140
Flax	320⅛@330½
Flax to arr	323½
December flax	320½
May flax	320
July flax	318¼

Close 1:30 p. m.

CHICAGO

HOGS—Receipts, 28,000; strong; bulk, $17.00@17.40; light, $16.60@17.30; mixed, $16.80@17.45; heavy, $16.80@17.45; rough, $16.80@17.00; pigs, $13.00@16.35.

CATTLE—Receipts, 14,000; strong; native beef steers, $7.35@16.25; stockers-feeders, $6.10@11.00; cows-heifers, $5.20@11.50; calves, $7.75@14.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 11,000; firm; wethers, $8.80@12.90; lambs, $12.50@17.00.

ST. PAUL.

HOGS—Receipts, 16,500, steady to 5c lower; range, $16.80@17.15; bulk, $17.00@17.10.

CATTLE—Receipts, 9,000; killers, strong, 25c higher for the week, with steers at $5.00@15.50; cows and heifers, $5.75@8.00; veal calves, 50c higher, and $1 higher for the week at $5.00@13.00; stockers and feeders, steady and 25c higher for the week, at $5.00@10.00.

SHEEP — Receipts, 3,000, steady; lambs, $8.00@16.60; wethers, $7.00@13.00; ewes, $5.00@10.50.

Federal officials said that in addition to being engaged in German propaganda work, Haass had violated his alien enemy permit by making frequent unauthorized trips from this city to New York, Washington and Maine, and also by having firearms in his possession.

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SOCIETY

Mischa Elman Arrives Here Saturday To Give One of His World-Fame concerts

Interest centers in the arrival here Saturday of Mischa Elman one of the greatest violinists of the day who will that evening give one of his world-famed concerts in the Auditorium The young Russian violinist has never in all his career won the laurels he has this season. Everywhere he appears the audiences are most enthusiastic and he is given a more heartier ovation No official program has been announced but out of his large repertoire he is arranging one of his finest.

This is the sixth time Mischa Elman has made a tour of this country and they have been a succession of triumphs Although the Russian master is only 26 years old, he is known in every part of the civilized world He still is a Russian subject. When his native land became involved in the European War, he was among the first to volunteer, but his government forbade him to take up arms on the grounds that he was of more value to the world as a musician than as a soldier, and that his death would be an irreparable loss to this generation. Elman has a letter written by the ex-czar in which the Russian ruled told the violinist to remain out of the war zone until the end of the conflict as "Russia does not wish any harm to befall one of her greatest geniuses."

The seat sale opened Wednesday at Knowles jewelry, and it is expected that he will be greeted with a crowded house It is rarely that a place as small as Bismarck is afforded the opportunity or hearing such a famous artist at home and the capital city folks are taking advantage of this musical treat.

BISMARCK GIRL TO WED LIEUTENANT

Interesting Military Wedding to be Solemnized in Minot

A wedding of interest in military and social circles of the Capital City will be solemnized Sunday in Minot when Miss Roxy Lavera Foss of this city, daughter of Mrs. L. S. Baker of Rushford, N. Y., will become the bride of Lieutenant J. Earl McFadden, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McFadden of Neche, N. D. No definite plans have been made as to the place where the nuptials will take place, but it is expected that it will be in the home of Judge and Mrs. E. B. Goss, former residents of this city.

Miss Foss and her fiance will leave Saturday morning for Minot. Lieutenant McFadden arrived here today from the east This evening Warden and Mrs F. S. Talcott will entertain at dinner for Miss Foss and Lieutenant McFadden, and last eevning members of the G. T. club tendered the bride-elect a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. A. G. Jacobson in the Rose apartments.

The bride-elect is very well known in the Capital City, where she has resided for several years. She is a professional nurse, and was connected with the office of Quain and Ramstad. She was among the first of the Bismarck nurses to offer her services in France, and is a member of the Bismarck surgical section, of which Major E. P. Quain is head. Lieutenant McFadden is a well known attorney of Cavalier. He entered the second officers' training camp at Ft. Snelling and last week received his commission as first lieutenant of the reserve corps. He has been ordered to report at Ft. Dodge and will leave immediately following their marriage in Minot Sunday.

Student Section To Meet

The Student Section of the Thursday Musical club will meet Friday evening in the home of Mrs. John L Larson of Sixth street. An interesting program has been arranged and will begin at 7:30.

Ceremonial Meeting

A ceremonial meeting of the Izan zan camp fire group will be held Friday evening with Miss Eunice Olson of Thayer street. Miss Olson and Miss Lavina Register will be the hostesses. Miss Densford is the guardian of the camp.

Mott Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Murray of Mott arrived in the city Tuesday from Chicago, where they have been sojourning for a short time. Mr. Murray, who is state's attorney for Hettinger county, will transact legal business here for a short time Mrs Murray has returned to her home in Mott.

Gives Dancing Party

E. H. L. Vesperman was host last evening at a dancing party at his home in Avenue A. Twenty of Mr. Vesperman's most intimate friends were guests and enjoyed the dance until long after midnight. Mr. Vesperman proved himself a most charming host.

High School Dancing Party

Of interest in the high school circles is the dancing party Friday evening in Patterson hall given by members of the S. S. club. The entertainment committee is composed of Otto Dirlam, Frank Burams, Ralph Jewell, Lloyd Couch and Harlan Fogerty. The S S club has arranged an interesting series of parties for the winter months.

To Hold Social Session

The Daughters of Rebekah have announced a social meeting for Friday evening in the Knights of Pythias hall. An interesting program has been arranged and luncheon will be served. Members of the Odd Fellows and their families will be honor guests. The Rebekahs are planning for a large affair and all Odd Fellows and their families are especially invited to attend.

Marries Young Lieutenant

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Marion Cole of Valley City to Lieut. Stuart P. Stevenson which was an event of Tuesday in New York City. Lieut. Stevenson and his bride will go to Galveston, Texas, where he has been ordered to report. Miss Cole was the guest of Dr. Edith Stevenson of Atlantic until last Monday when she went to New York to visit Miss Mary Chandler, an old friend and school mate. It was while her guest that she decided to marry Lieut. Stevenson.

Visiting In Montana

Lieutenant and Mrs. Alfred Edwin Pollum, whose mariage was an event of Thanksgiving day in the home of the bride's brother, Charles Hamel in San Francisco, have come on to Hardin, Mont., where they will visit Lieut Lollum's parents before going to Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash., where he has been ordered to report for service. Mrs. Bollum will be remembered as Miss Josephine Hamel, a former member of the high school faculty.

Mrs. Craig Here.

Mrs. A. D. Cordner of First street and Avenue A, is entertaining as her guest, Mrs. R. H. Craig, wife of Rev. Craig of the Dickinson Methodist Episcopal and formely of the McCabe church. Mrs. Craig arrived in the city from Lisbon where she visited her son Ray Craig, who recently received a commission at Fort Snelling. Mrs. Cordner entertained the fourth division of the Ladies Aid society of the McCabe church this afternoon, giving Mrs. Craig an opportunity of meeting a number of the women of the congregation.

Music and skating tonight at the Armory.

For Lieutenant Martel

In honor of Lieutenant Ted Martel four of the nurses of the Bismarck hospital gave a dinner party Wednesday evening in the Grand Pacific [illegible] for Lieut Martel. Miss Esther Teichmann, Miss Lillian Gustafson, Miss Sara Sand and Miss Anna Frankhauser Following the dinner an informal reception was tendered Lieut Martel in the parlors of the nurses home of the hospital Lieut Martel, who is a graduate from the second officers' training camp at Fort Snelling, was formerly connected with the x-ray department of the institution and his work in the army will be in the x-ray department The staff physicians and other friends of the young lieutenant attended the reception

Demonstration Well Attended.

The demonstration conducted Wednesday afternoon in the gymnasium of the high school by Miss Newton of the extension department of the state agricultural college was attended by a large representation of the women of the city, as well as the members of the Woman's council Miss Newton gave splendid information on the conservation of food and distributed a number of recipes to the women. War bread and cereals were discussed and samples of bread baked by the women of the city from recipes furnished at the last demonstration by Miss Newton were features of the meeting. Another demonstration was held this afternoon in St. Mary's parochial school. Many of the women of the east end district attended.

Club Gives Play

The December meeting of the Senior Dramatic Club was held Monday evening in the high school auditorium under the direction of Miss Hinkley. A short business meeting was held, after which the following program was presented.

Play—The Teeth of the Gift Horse
Paper—The Effect of the War on the Stage ..... Eunice Olson
Roll Call ..... Adjectives

The members of the cast were.
Mrs. Butler ..... Dorothy Moore
Mr. Dick Butler ..... Fern Perkins
Aunt Marie ..... Marjory Moore
Mr. Blake ..... Mary Murray
Katie (the maid) ..... Ella Jager
A family friend ..... Marjory Best

The play was directed by Miss Glenn Bruce, chairman of the entertainment committee

The story of the play which is a farce represents the endeavors of Mr and Mrs Butler, a young married couple, to prevent Aunt Marie, a sensitive, old-fashioned lady, from discovering that her wedding gift to them—two vividly colored hand painted vases—has taken flight out of an a rummage sale. Katie, the Irish maid and well meaning Mr. Blake unwittingly complicate matters, and also help to smooth it out

The characters were well interpreted, especially those of Katie—the maid

PERSONAL NOTES

Miss Marjorie Shannon of the Register of Deeds office is confined to her home in Second street by illness

Miss Esther Talcott, daughter of Warden and Mrs F. S. Talcott, has returned to Evanston, Ill., to resume her studies at the Northwestern University.

Miss Roe Leverich arrived in the city Wednesday from Jamestown and will be the guest of Mrs. J. A. Graham of the Person court for a short time before going to her home in Albert Lea, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rathman and son of Jamestown passed through Bismarck Wednesday night enroute to California, where they will spend the winter.

Mrs. A. D. Galusha of Ninth street, has returned from Decorah, Ia., where she was called by the death of her sister, Mrs Holway.

Miss Eleanor Widdard of Fergus Falls, Minn., has arrived in the city and will enter the North Ward school. While here she will make her home with her aunt, Mrs. Hall of Seventh street.

Miss Julia Weber, who left the St. Alexius hospital the first of the week, has returned to the same institution for treatment.

COMMANDERY MEETING.

A stated conclave of Tancred Commandery will be held at the Masonic Temple this evening at 8 o'clock. All Sir Knights are requested to be present for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

W. OF W. MEETING.

A meeting of the newly organized lodge Woodman of the World, Rosebud camp, No. 105, will be held this evening in the Commercial club hall at 8:30. A class of 20 candidates will be initiated.

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Despite the inclemency of the weather, the crowds all day yesterday and today demonstrated the value giving attractiveness of this unusual sale.

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We Urge Those Who Have Not Secured Their Share To Do So At Once

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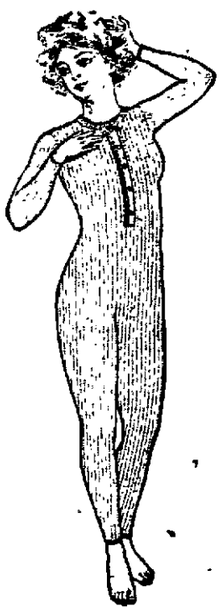
Woman's finely knitted lisle linen double high spliced sole., and elastic top. Elegant value at this price. Price pair 25c

Children's fine ribbed mad from sea cotton "Iron Clad" very serviceable as well a durable, pair 32c

ALL WOOL AND PART WOOL SEPARATE SHIRTS AND DRAWERS



It is almost impossible to believe such products on sale at such a price. Odd lots from the last few years, unadvanced and reduced, otherwise such a price would be impossible.

Lot 1. Extra Special 48c

Lot 2. Extra Special 69c

CHILDREN'S UNIONS

Pure white knit, "seal lined" heavy fleece, especially heavy for winter wear. Special 89c

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Our entire stock of linens except Maderias, unaffected by the many recent rises in price.

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Prices on staple items which explains their merit at sight "SANSILK" Crochet Cotton in all colors. Regular size, regular quality. Ball 4c

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The materials alone would cost the price of these finished garments, yet in this sale you can secure the best, the most stylish, the most practical of Fall Garments, for the customary cost of the cheap or ordinary. You will find all colors, styles and effects in this large assortment.

Suit Values to $35.00..... $18.75
Suit Values to $45.00 ..... $27.50
Suit Values to $60.00..... $33.50
Suit Values to $75.00 ..... $39.50

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Assortments contain all sizes, colors, styles and materials in the season's most charming creations, cloths, plushes, trimmed, etc, etc

Values to $25.00, this sale.....$10.75
Values to $50.00, this sale.....$27.50
Values to $50.00, sizes to 51..$27.50

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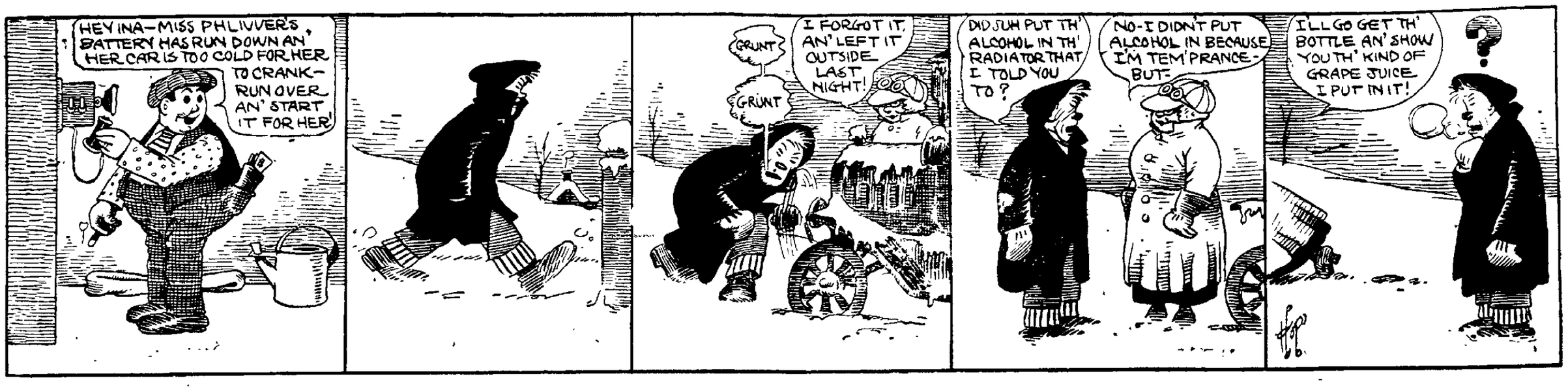

BISMARCK BASKETBALL SCHEDULE STRONGEST TEAM HAS EVER HAD

Capital City Champs Will Have Opportunity to Meet Teams Not Before Played.

The strongest schedule ever adopted for a Bismarck high school basketball quintet was announced today by Principal C. F. Bolt, as follows:

Bismarck at Mandan, Dec. 21; at Jamestown, Jan. 4; at Valley City, Jan. 5; Washburn at Bismarck, Jan. 11; Dickinson at Bismarck, Jan. 25; Cassellton at Bismarck, Feb. 1; Bismarck at Dickinson, Feb. 15; Fargo at Bismarck, Feb. 22; southwestern district tourney at Mandan, March 8; state tourney, March 15.

Bismarck has Jan. 18 and Feb. 8 as open dates, on one of which it hopes to induce Mandan to cross the river. Prospects for a winning team are unusually good. Bismarck has all of the best of last year's material and many promising new players. Cecil Burton, an old Bismarck high and an eastern college athlete, is coaching the bunch.

NOTICE AND CITATION, HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE.

State of North Dakota, County of Burleigh—ss:

In county court, before Hon. H. C. Bradley, judge.

In the matter of the estate of Nina Downey, deceased.

Walter M. Huntington, Petitioner
vs.
Mabel Hunt Penwarden, I. H. Robinson, Maud Robinson Putnam, Lillian Robinson Doerschlat, A. H. Flannery and Frank J. Flannery,
Respondents.

The State of North Dakota to the Above Named Respondents:

You, the said respondents, are hereby notified that the final account of the administration with the will annexed of Nina Downey, late of the city of Portland, in the county of Muthromah and state of Oregon, deceased, has been rendered to this court, therein showing that the estate of said deceased is ready for final settlement and distribution, and petitioning that his account be allowed, the residue of said estate be distributed to the persons thereunto entitled, his administration closed and he be discharged; that Tuesday, the 8th day of January, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the court rooms of this court in the court house, in the city of Bismarck, county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, has been duly appointed by this court for the settlement thereof, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account and petition and contest the same.

And you, the above named respondents, and each of you, are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this court, and show cause, if any you have, why said account shall not be allowed, the residue of said estate distributed, the administration of said estate closed, and said administrator be discharged.

Dated the 5th day of December, A. D. 1917.

By the Court:
(Seal) H. C. BRADLEY,
Judge of the County Court.

NOTICE AND CITATION, HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND DISTRIBUTION OF ESTATE.

State of North Dakota, County of Burleigh—ss:

In county court, before Hon. H. C. Bradley, judge.

In the matter of the estate of Celia Harvey, deceased.

Rose Bair, Executrix and Petitioner
vs.
M. J. Hiltner, St. Mary's Catholic church of Bismarck, North Dakota; John Murphy, James W. Murphy, Margaret Murphy Kingsley and Mary Murphy Lent, Respondents.

The State of North Dakota to the Above Named Respondents:

You, the said respondents, are hereby notified that the final account of the executrix of the last will of Celia Harvey, late of the township of Burnt Creek in the county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, deceased, has been rendered to this court, therein showing that the estate of said deceased is ready for final settlement and distribution, and petitioning that his account be allowed, the residue of said estate be distributed to the persons thereunto entitled, his administration closed and he be discharged; that Tuesday, the 22nd day of January, A. D. 1918, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the court rooms of this court in the court house, in the city of Bismarck, county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, has been duly appointed by this court for the settlement thereof, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account and petition and contest the same.

And you, the above named respondents, and each of you, are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this court, and show cause, if any you have, why said account shall not be allowed, the residue of said estate distributed, the administration of said estate closed and said executrix be discharged.

Dated the 5th day of December, A. D. 1917.

By the Court:
(Seal) H. C. BRADLEY,
Judge of the County Court.

Newton, Dullam & Young,
Attorneys for Executrix.
12-6-13-20-27

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that default existing in that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Marcellus Oanes, unmarried, mortgagor, to Barnes Brothers, Incorporated, of Minneapolis, Minn., mortgagee, dated the 27th day of January, 1915, and filed for record in the office of the register of deeds of the county of Burleigh, and state of North Dakota, on the 23rd day of February, 1915, at 11:15 o'clock a. m., and recorded in Book 106 of mortgages at page 289; and no action or proceedng having been instituted at law or otherwise to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof; said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the city of Bismarck, county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1917 to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in such mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are described as follows, viz:

West one-half of northeast quarter (W½NE¼) and west one-half of southeast one-quarter (W½SE¼) section 12, township 140, range 78.

There will be due on said mortgage at the date of sale the sum of $1,48[illegible], principal and interest, and the further sum of $194.49, by reason of certain interest coupon notes, and the sum of $56.11 by reason of taxes, which were prior liens upon the said land and which were paid by the said mortgagee and which makes the total sum due on date of sale of Three Hundred Fifty-five Dollars and Thirty-one cents ($355.31) together with the costs and disbursements in this action.

Dated at Kenmare, N. D., this 21st day of November, A. D. 1917.

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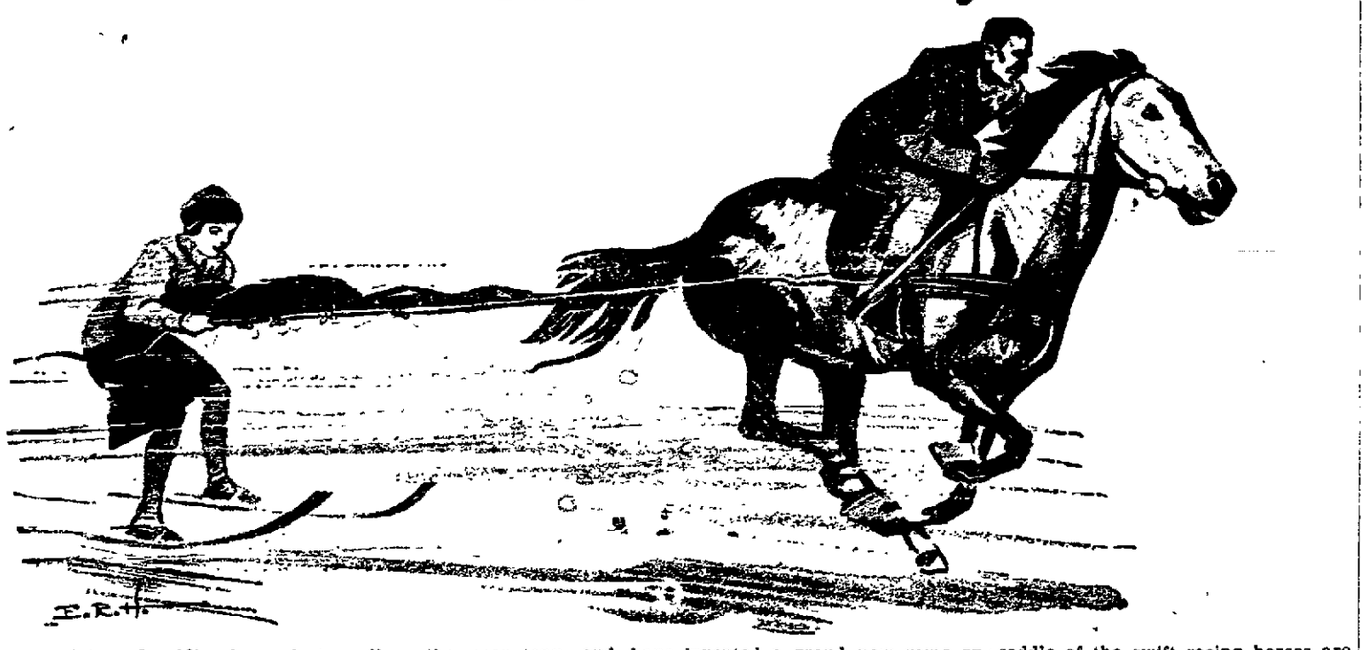
Interned Soldiers Invent Exciting Sport To Pass Time Away in Switzerland



If you were an interned soldier in Switzerland, with nothing to do but watch the papers and see how your comrades were getting on at the front you had left not so long ago, what would be the first thing you would seek to relieve the monotony and make you forget your own helplessness?

Excitement, of course!

And that's the reason why French, Italian and German interned soldiers have invented a grand new game on the ice fields of the Switzerland winter resorts.

They have combined the Scandinavian sport of skiing with ice racing and by attaching light harness to the saddle of the swift racing horses are drawn along over the snow at high speed.

Skiing itself is no mollycoddle sport, but the way they practice it in the Swiss Alps gives the expatriates all the excitement they desire.

BURLEIGH BOYS OF BATTERY F ENJOYED BIG THANKSGIVING

What did your boy have for Thanksgiving?

If he was a member of Battery F, 338th field artillery, in which a majority of our Burleigh county boys are serving at Camp Dodge, he had oyster soup, roast pork with apple sauce, turkey with dressing and giblet gravy, cranberry sauce, glazed sweet potatoes, mashed potatoes, green peas, celery, radishes, young beets, pickles, bread, butter, tulip salad, mince pie, pumpkin pie, chocolate layer cake, demi-tasse, apples, oranges, candy, cigars, nuts and cigarettes.

And these viands were cooked and served to a queen's taste and at each boy's plate was a handsomely engraved souvenir menu, one of which, bearing the autograph of each of the Burleigh county select soldiers today found its way to Sheriff J. P. French, with the following note from Peter Tamis of Battery F, 338th F. A.:

"Dear friend Sheriff:—Here I am sending you the names of the Burleigh county boys and the dinner bill of fare with which we celebrated at Battery F, 338th F. A., Camp Dodge. Please, Mr. Sheriff, fix this up and put it in The Tribune for the rest of the boys that are coming down and send me The Tribune please when this is published."

The boys whose autographs appear upon the space reserved for this purpose on the souvenir menu are: G. Peter Tamis, J. Ray Morton, Carl L. Hagen, Roland D. Stillson, Samuel M. Love, Walter Honey, Roy P. Kendall, Julius Lerks, Roy N. Kroll, Nels A. Hanson, Marvin O. Berg, Homer Hinton, Co. D, 313 Eng.; S. W. Heider, same; C. C. Ottoson, Battery E, 338 F. A.; Asa J. Werner, same; Felix Orlando, John Hanson and William Koterba, just about half the Burleigh county select service soldiers now serving at Camp Dodge.

In introduction to the bill of good things, the menu bears this paragraph: "Our first Thanksgiving dinner together," and we mean to make the best of it. Do you realize that we are the only artillery regiment from North Dakota? When the report comes that we blew Hill 176 to pieces, it will not come back that the 338th did this, but the boys from North Dakota. In a crisis that demands such hardships, endurance and patriotism, it will be the farmer boy who has had a healthy out-of-door life that will stand up under the strain. We are proud when we realize that we are all cogs in the machine that is accomplishing the greatest feat the world has ever seen.

"Battery F sends greetings to all its friends."

And the brave Burleigh boys are going to France with this slogan:

"We'll never give in—
"We'll fight like sin;
"We'll write to you
"From old Berlin."

CONDITION OF INDIANS EXCELLENT SAYS AGENT

J. F. Giegelit, clerk at the Standing Rock reservation, is in the city attending federal court. He reports conditions excellent at the reservation. The Indians begin this winter under the best of conditions. He appears at court as the representative of Major Kitch, who is in Washington.

Assistant Agent Wells and Major Jermack are also here.

Helen Collier

As Betty Basom in "Turn to the Right" at the Auditorium Monday Evening, December 11.

DISCOUNT RATES ARE INCREASED

Washington, Dec. 6.—To discourage inflation and promote sound business conditions, the federal reserve board has approved a general increase in discount rates of about one half per cent for most of the twelve federal reserve banks.

MAJOR BITZING JUDGE ADVOCATE AT DEMING, LIKES MILITARY WORK

Mandan, N. D., Dec. 5.—Major Bitzing, judge advocate at Camp Cody, Deming, N. M., is home for a brief furlough. Major Bitzing formerly was assistant attorney general, and for many years was judge advocate of the North Dakota national guard. He likes his work in the south and is enthusiastic over the success which America is encountering in rapidly whipping into shape an efficient fighting machine.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE removes the cause. There is only one "Bromo Quinine." E. W. GROVE'S signature is on box. 30c.

PRISON SUNDAY TO BE OBSERVED HERE

Rev. James Parsons of Minneapolis, Superintendent Friendless Society, Coming

Superintendent Newcomb of the Society for the Friendless has returned from the National Prisoners' Aid association, which he attended as a representative of his society. The association made him its secretary-treasurer for the year 1918.

Sunday night, Dec. 9, a special prison Sunday service will be held in the Auditorium. The city churches have generally agreed to cooperate in this event and announcements were so made in several of them last Sunday. Rev. James Parsons of Minneapolis, national superintendent of the Society for the Friendless, will be the speaker of the evening. Superintendent Parsons came into this position about one year ago, succeeding the founder of the society, upon the latter's death. There will be special musical numbers appropriate to the occasion, under the direction of Mrs. John A. Larson.

The annual meeting of the board of directors will be held Monday at 5 o'clock.

CITY NEWS

Here Shopping—Mrs. Allen of Steele was among the shoppers in the city Wednesday.

Birth of Son—A son was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Kalish of the arney apartments.

Mr. Keenan Ill—G. J. Keenan, register of deeds, is confined to his home on Second street, by illness.

Birth of Son—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Spitzer of near the city, a son, Wednesday in the St. Alexius hospital.

Undergoes Operation—Mrs. Julius Schmeginski of Clear Lake, S. D., who underwent a serious operation in the Bismarck hospital Wednesday, is recovering nicely. Mrs. Schmeginski is a sister of Mrs. John Loerch of Steele. Mrs. Loerch spent the day in the city with her sister.

CENTENARIAN FATHER OF JUDGE CARMODY IS DEAD IN MINNESOTA

John Carmody, Sr., Born in Ireland in January, 1817, Passes Away

Fargo, N. D., Dec. 6.—John Carmody, Sr., aged 100, father of Judge John Carmody, Fargo, died at his farm home near Wilton, Waseca county, Minn., last Friday morning following a two weeks' illness due to a general breakdown.

Judge Carmody was called to his father's bedside last Thursday, but arrived too late to see him alive. He returned to Fargo this morning after attending the funeral services.

John Carmody, Sr., was born in Ireland in aJnuary, 1817, and came to the United States in 1834, reaching Utica, N. Y. In 1842 he went to Milwaukee, Wis., where he remained until April 1, 1868, when he homesteaded in Waseca county, residing on his homestead continuously until his death. Mrs. Carmody died in February, 1885.

John Carmody is survived by two sons, four daughters, 24 grand children and 22 great grandchildren.

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FOR RENT—Modern house; seven rooms, 322 Second St., Jan. 1. Want small family and might take room myself. G. W. Ranney, Box 257. 12-3-6

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NOTICE AND CITATION. HEARING OF FINAL ACCOUNT AND DISTRIBUTON OF ESTAE.

STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA, County of Burleigh, In County Court, before Hon. H. C. Bradley, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Sarah Miller Gilbertson, Deceased.

H. H. Helland, petitioner, vs. Ole Gilbertson and Ragnhild Miller, respondents.

The State of North Dakota to the above named respondents:

You, the said respondents are hereby notified that the final account of the administrator of the estate of Sarah Miller Gilbertson, late of the county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, deceased, has been rendered to this court, therein showing that the estate of said deceased is ready for final settlement and distribution, and petitioning that his account be allowed, the residue of said estate be distributed to the persons thereunto entitled, his administration closed and he be discharged; that Monday, the 31st day of December, A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day at the court rooms of this court in the court house, in the city of Bismarck, county of Burleigh and state of North Dakota, has been duly appointed by this court for the settlement thereof, at which time and place any person interested in said estate may appear and file his exceptions, in writing, to said account and petition and contest the same.

And you, the above named respondents, and each of you, are hereby cited and required then and there to be and appear before this court, and show cause, if any you have, why said account shall not be allowed, the residue of said estate distributed, the administration of said estate closed and said administrator be discharged.

Dated the 11th day of November, A. D. 1917.

By the court:
(Seal.) H. C. BRADLEY,
Judge of the County Court.
Newton, Dullam & Young,
Attorneys for Administrator,
Bismarck, North Dakota.
11—15, 22, 29; 12—6.

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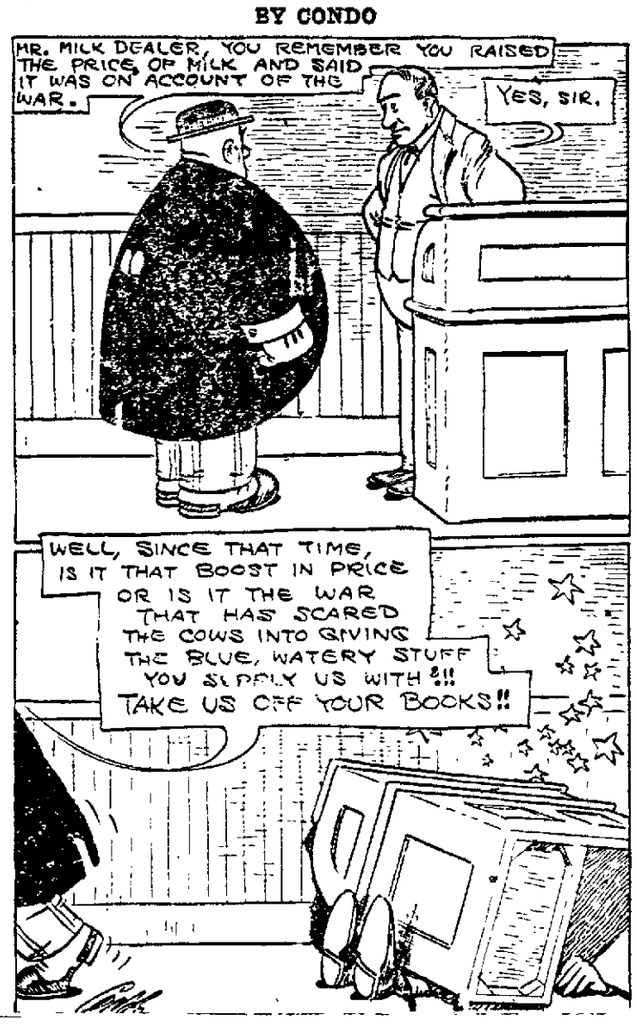

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30 Years Experience I Have Produced an Appliance That Actually Cures Ruptures by a Natural Healing Process. No Medicines, No Plasters, No Tricks, No Lies.

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The above is C. E. Brooks, Inventor of the Appliance, who has been curing rupture for over 30 years. If ruptured, write him today at Marshall, Mich. He knows all the torments of rupture from personal experience. Mr. Brooks cured himself and now stands ready to give you the benefit of his experience and years of study.

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While the home of the Brooks Appliance Co., is at Marshall, Mich., its business extends to practically every corner of the civilized world.

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In London, England, the Brooks Co. maintains a large establishment—in the Kingsway House, Kingsway, W. C. 2.

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You will be most welcome and will receive most careful personal attention in any of the Brooks Institutions, either in this country or abroad.

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Soundly Cured

At the Age of 81

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Michigan
Dear Sir —

Less than a year ago I sent to you for an appliance which came promptly. I at once put it on and it fitted perfectly. I have worn the appliance not quite four months.

It has cured my rupture.

I tried the other day while the appliance was off to see if I could force anything out of the opening to make a break there, but I could not though I tried hard.

Now I think this quite remarkable as I am in my eighty-first year. I am an old veteran of the Civil War, born and raised in the town of New Boston, State of New Hampshire, from which place I enlisted in the 10th N. H. Vol. Inft in Company C, commanded by Col M. T. Donohue.

I cannot feel but that I owe you this testimony for I had never expected to be cured. However, thanks be to God I found a cure through the valuable Appliance you made for me

Your friend,
Holly Hill, Fla. E. A. Richard.

CHILD CURED IN FOUR MONTHS

C. E. Brooks,
Dear Sir:—The baby's rupture is altogether cured, thanks to your appliance and we are so thankful to you. If we could only have known of it sooner our little boy would not have had to suffer near as much as he did. He wore your brace a little over four months and has not worn it now for six weeks.

Yours very truly,
ANDREW EGGENBERGER
21 Jansen St., Dubuque, Iowa.

Pennsylvania Man Thankful

Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Sir

Perhaps it will interest you to know that I have been ruptured six years and have always had trouble with it till I got your Appliance. It is very easy to wear, fits neat and snug, and is not in the way, at any time, day or night. In fact, at times I did not know I had it on. It just adapted itself to the shape of the body and seemed to be a part of the body as it clung to the body as it clung to the position I was in.

It would be a veritable God-send to the unfortunate who suffer from rupture if all could procure the Brooks Rupture Appliance and wear it. They would certainly never regret it.

My rupture is now all healed up and nothing ever did it but your Appliance. Whenever the opportunity presents itself I will say a good word for your Appliance, and also the honorable way in which you deal with ruptured people. It is a pleasure to recommend a good thing among your friends or strangers. I am

Yours very sincerely,
JAMES A. BRITTON...
89 Spring St, Bethlehem, Pa.

OTHERS FAILED, BUT THE APPLIANCE CURED

Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir.

Your Appliance did all you claim for the little boy and more, for it cured him sound and well. We let him wear it for about a year in all, although it cured him three months after he had begun to wear it. We had tried several other remedies and got no relief, and I shall certainly recommend it to friends, for we surely owe it to you.

Yours respectfully,
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You may not think that a rupture appliance can ever be truly "comfortable"—but that is because you have never tried Brooks'.

"NEVER A MINUTE'S DISCOMFORT—CURED"

Boomingdale, Mich.
Mr. C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Mr Brooks

Your letter is at hand and in answer to same will say that I am thankful that I can inform you that I am not in need of any repairs for my Appliance which I bought of you about a year ago.

I have not been obliged to wear it for nearly three months, and believe it has caused a cure for me

It never gave me a minute's discomfort or inconvenience

I should be glad to recommend your Appliance to anyone suffering from rupture

Very respectfully yours,
D W STRONG.

"A BLESSING TO ME"

Mutual Okla.
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Mr. Brooks:

I have been putting off answering your kind letter so that I could send you a good report

I took off the Appliance the first of March and I feel that I don't need to keep it on any longer I think I am well

The Appliance has been a blessing to me and I am thankful for your great invention.

Your very truly
V NORTH, R. No. 2.

"PERFECTLY CURED"

Pueblo, Colo
C E Brooks, Marshall Mich
Dear Sir

I have been perfectly cured by your Appliance

But I won't be without it because it is so easy to wear and I want to be safe so that there will be no danger of getting ruptured again

Yours very truly,
STEVE HORVAT,
[illegible] E Northern Ave

VETERAN CURED

Mr Wm McAdams, of Kansas, Pa., is a veteran of the Civil War. Reg. [illegible] Vol. of which he was Second Lieutenant

He has fought against the suffering and torment of rupture for years and has finally won the victory as the following letter tells

Mr C E Brooks,
Marshall, Mich
Dear Sir—I [illegible] your appliance [illegible] March 2rd and have not worn it for twenty-five days for I think that I am cured. I hope that I may never have to wear it again

Yours truly,
WM. McADAMS, Sr
Kansas, Pa.

"SOUND AS I EVER WAS"

Ithaca, Michigan.
Mr C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

I am happy to say to you that I am entirely cured, thanks to your Appliance

Have not been troubled in any way in 18 months, and am sound as I ever was so far as rupture is concerne.

You can refer anyone to me if you wish.

Respectfully,
J. P KING, R F D. No. 5.

CURED IN SIX MONTHS AFTER 18 YEARS

Hinton, Ky.
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

I never wore the Appliance a minute over six months and was cured sound and well—and I want to say no man ever did any harder work than I did while I was using it—I hauled 40 perch of rock, too big for any man to lift

I was ruptured 18 years and words cannot tell how thankful I am. Use my name if you like

Yours sincerely,
RUFUS FIELDS, R.R. No 1

THANKFUL BEYOND EXPRESSION

Riverside, Ind.
Mr C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

I am very glad to say that your Appliance has cured me, and I am as sound as I ever was

I haven't worn it for 8 months I work hard, but the rupture doesn't bother me any more at all

I don't know how to tell you how much I think of your Appliance, it has done so much for me I will recommend it to anyone.

Yours truly,
WM HYSONG.

THREW AWAY TRUSSES

West Sound, Washington
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

I haven't worn a truss for over four years and I am sound and well.

It gives me pleasure to say this to you for it was your Appliance that cured me

You can use my name in your business if you wish

Yours very truly,
F E SHUTT.

"NOW SOUND AND WELL"

Atchison, Kansas
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

I have had two Appliances from you and am now sound and well

Yours truly,
FRITZ RAUBER,
1634 Commercial St

DOCTOR PRONOUNCES HIM CURED

119 Towle Ave.,
Mishawaka, Ind.
Mr. C. E. Brooks,
Marshall, Mich.
Dear Mr Brooks.

Answering your letter, will say we need no more Appliances, as our son has been completely cured by wearing your Appliance

We recently had him examined, and the doctor said the opening was entirely closed and that it wasn't necessary to wear it longer

Thanking you for your kindness, I am,

Yours very truly
MRS H TOLLMAN.

WANTED TO BE SURE HE WAS CURED

Scotia, N Y
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir.

Have neglected writing you as I wanted to be sure that I was entirely cured of my rupture before I said anything one way or the other

I can now honestly and thankfully say that I am completely cured, and I wish to thank you many times for what you have done for me

I wouldn't begrudge $1000 for the same thing again if I knew at the beginning what I now know that your rupture Appliance will cure anyone

Sincerely yours,
ANTHONY BAKER,
R F D No 1

"SEEMS IMPOSSIBLE"

Holland Indiana
Mr C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Sir

Having used one of your Appliances until it was worn out, I have been going without it for nearly a year and have not been troubled the least bit with my rupture, so I am well satisfied I am cured

It seems nearly impossible, but I have gone through a summer's work on a farm without any and never been troubled

I was been ruptured and never wore a truss until I was [illegible] years of age and got your Appliance. If I ever need another one I shall send to you for it

Yours truly,
BARNEY OSKINS
R F D No 7

Ten Reasons Why

You Should Send for the Brooks Rupture Appliance.

1 It is absolutely the only Appliance of the kind on the market today, and in it are embodied the principles that inventors have sought after for years.

2. The Appliance for retaining the rupture cannot be thrown out of position.

3 Being an air cushion of soft rubber it clings closely to the body, yet never blisters or causes irritation.

4 Unlike the ordinary so-called pads, used in other trusses, it is not cumbersome or ungainly.

5 It is small, soft and pliable, and positively cannot be detected through the clothing

6. The soft, pliable bands holding the appliance do not give one the unpleasant sensation of wearing a harness.

7 There is nothing about it to get foul, and when it becomes soiled it can be washed without injury [illegible] the least.

8 There are no metal springs in the appliance to torture one by cutting and bruising the flesh.

9. All of the material of which the Appliances are made is of the very best that money can buy, making it a durable and safe Appliance to wear

10 My reputation for honesty and fair dealing is so thoroughly established by an experience of over thirty years of dealing with the public, and my prices are so reasonable, my terms so fair, that there certainly should be no hesitancy in sending the free coupon today.

CANNOT SAY TOO MUCH

Doddsville, Miss
C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Sir

Your Appliance cured me sound and well

I feel like again and I am trying to get ruptured men to write to you. May the Lord bless you for your goodness. I can't say too much for you

Yours very truly,
SIMON DANTZLER
R F D No 1 Box [illegible]

CURED WITHOUT OPERATION

"Was Sure He Would Be a Cripple"

Ada, Minn.
C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir:

Enclosed is a picture of my children, and the little man you see seated on the chair is the one who was cured by your Appliance

He had been ruptured quite a while before we wrote you, and I was sure that he would be a cripple the rest of his life. However, some helping hand showed me an ad in a newspaper with the result that he was in perfect health through the wearing of a Brooks Appliance for just one months

The doctor advised an operation, which I would not consent to. Your advice was to put an Air Cushion Appliance on him, and I must say that it's worth ten times what it cost

I wish you could have seen him before he used the Appliance and now, he is fully as sound as anyone could be

I cannot thank you too much for what you have done for my boy.

Yours respectfully,
OLIVER HANSON

THE BROOKS GUARANTEE IS SATISFACTION TO YOU

No other rupture appliance, truss, lock, device, pad, or plaster is offered to the public on such terms and under such a guarantee as the Brooks Rupture Appliance.

If for any reason whatever you do not wish to keep the Brooks Appliance after you try it, all you have to do is to send it back. You don't have to give any reason, you don't have to write us why, you don't have to send to us for any return instructions or labels. There will be no argument, no dispute, no misunderstanding—but you will find that doing business with Brooks is just like doing business with a First National Bank.

DOCTOR SAID "OPERATION"

Artesia, Ariz.
C. E. Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir:

I received your Appliance and have used it It has done the work you guaranteed it to do

It is too cheap at the price.

The doctor said that he, or any other doctor, couldn't cure the rupture without an operation, but the Brooks Rupture Appliance did. I remain as ever,

ALDO B. ALLRED.

"RESULTS ARE MARVELOUS"

Middletown, N. Y
C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Sir.

I tried all kinds of trusses without any relief until I bought your Appliance

The results are marvelous, and I praise God that you may live long and prosper, and may help suffering humanity as you did me.

You can use this letter as you think best and I will answer any inquiry that is made with a stamped envelope enclosed

My age is 65 years

Yours very truly,
V. C. JUMP, 180 Linden Ave

SORRY HE NEVER HEARD OF BROOKS BEFORE

Buckley, Ill.
C. E Brooks, Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir

Glad to advise you that after wearing your Appliance three months I took it off and have never had to put it back

Am completely cured, and must say that I am sorry I never heard of you people before

Yours very truly,
G. O. STREMMEL
Box No. 23.

TRIED ALL KINDS OF TRUSSES—NOW CURED

Walla Walla, Washington
Mr C. E. Brooks,
Marshall, Mich.
Dear Sir,

I wore your Appliance for one year and was cured, after being ruptured twenty years.

I feel like a different man I tried all kinds of trusses, but nothing did me any good until I got your Appliance

It has been worth many dollars to me

Yours truly,
C E LONG,
1021 W Birch St

CURED IN THREE MONTHS

Salem, Ohio
440 Cleveland Ave
C E Brooks, Marshall, Mich
Dear Mr. Brooks:

I am sending you a small picture of my son, who is now five years old

We ordered your Appliance for him when he was only 2 months old and yet want to say it about 3 months all signs of rupture were gone and he is some boy today

I shall always be glad to say a good word for your Appliance whenever the occasion presents itself

Yours very truly
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Free Information Coupon

MR. C. E. BROOKS,
State St., Marshall, Michigan

Without cost or obligation on my part, please send me by mail in plain wrapper your illustrated book and full information about your Appliance for the cure of rupture.

Name .....

Address .....

City (or town) ..... State .....

NOTE: Readers of the Bismarck Tribune may feel every confidence in writing to Mr. Brooks and in accepting this offer. They are assured of courteous treatment and the most thoughtful of skilled attention.

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